

**TOWN OF
EASTHAM, MA**

**MEETINGS
c. 1600-1770**

START

Thomas M. Deane
 Robert M. Deane
 Richard M. Deane
 Robert M. Deane

a Copy of a grant to the
Commons was in a former matter the
marshes 29 marsh: 1645: by virtue of which grant
1645 Thomas Clarke did then demand his wife
to land three miles to the southwest
navigation

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of Meadow at the head of the Boate Meadow ground
 and John Dore Camille Hig John Jenkins Camille
 and John Jenkins part of the above said Meadow was bought by John
 and the said Camille Cole had exchanged Camille Hig part
 for three quarters of an acre of Meadow which was Mr John Dore at 20s
 the said Camille Cole had exchanged John Jenkins share of Meadow
 Wigan for an acre of Meadow that lay at Blacke fish Crosse the bound of
 the said ~~Boate~~ Meadow Mr John Dore bought three quarters of an acre lying at the
 west part and right to him by Robert Wigan and sold to Robert Wigan by
 Edward Dargay this Meadow lying north and South and the other share
 bound to the Hakey July the 12th 1664

1646
 Balles wound of Thomas point
 by Hugh Sparrowe John Higgin
 forgent charge

one to Maighing
 one Page weight
 an other grain

53 pound
 62 pound
 58 pound

The total 173 pound Weight

1660 Monmouth brought to
 me four young hounds which he says he bought
 about a pound the each pound

A List of the names of the

me Freeman.

M. Croft

Nicholas

Edward

William

me Doane

Samuel

Ensign

Robert

William

Palmer

Smith

Thomas

John

Joseph

Jonathan

Spencer

Marble

Snore

Job

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William

Twining

Samuel

Freeman

John

Thompson

Richard

Prober

John

Doane

Thomas

William

John

Thompson

Jonathan

Higgin

Benjamin

Higgin

Samuel

Smith

Thomas

Mulford

William

Freeman

John

Doane

John

Doane

William Thompson

Jonathan

Ephraim Doane

John Freeman

Thomas Freeman

Joshua Thompson

Steven Thompson

Joseph Cook

John Snow

Joseph Snow

Joseph Cook

William Thompson

John Snow

Samuel

Freeman

them
 that one of the joint that were ~~fringed~~ to lay out a highway
 from the town of Eastham to Sautelott brook have agreed upon it
 as followeth. beginning at bridge by Nicholas Snows house up along the
 lane and for over the swamp and by a swamp which is there and for
 into the old road on the ~~highly~~ side of the being close and from
 there along the old way to the foot of the steep hill a little
 beyond the first swamp and then turning on the right hand as the
 trees are marked till it come into the old road again and for
 the left hand at the marked trees and for along at the tail
 until it come to the old way again and for along the old way
 it come to Marked trees on the left hand side of the first old
 swamp and from these marked trees along in a hollow into the
 field and from thence along the old way to marked trees on the
 right hand side of Robin's field and for to go in the old way
 through Robin's field and for keeping the old way until it come
 where there was a way formerly and then coming into the old road again
 at the corner of a swamp which is in the field and from thence along the
 old way until he the rough the second rail and then turn
 to the right hand a bottom and for straight until it come next
 the mill house then to the left hand close above the mill
 house and then over the bridge which is over the gutts
 and for between two marked stumps into the middle of the
 brook this 17 of Decr. 1668

Daniel Cole

Nicholas Snows

Richard Higgins

William Merrill

John Mayo

William Walker

John Smalley

Benjamin Gorham

Robert Wiggins

Volgel Smith

Henry and Elisha

Jonathan Higgins

For me Mark Snow Clarke

Apr 11 may 1696
Laid out by pincles Dno Mr. John Freeman and
Samuel Cole to Richard Rogers 20 acres of upland
lying above Ex. Hay with on right running
a marked line between 2 swamps towards Ex. Sea
to a marked line for Ex. length of it cut Ex. land
to a marked line for Ex. width of it ~~marked~~
And laid out to Roger Rogers 10 acres of upland
on Ex. opposite side of swamp of Richard Rogers land
to Ex. marked line

Apr 11 may 1696
Laid out by pincles Dno Mr. John Freeman and Samuel Cole
to Richard Rogers 20 acres of upland above Ex. Hay with
beginning at Ex. line and to a point of land of line
other not good some by Ex. side of Ex. swamp. Also
from Richard Rogers 10 acres and Ex. along Ex.
side to a half survey from Ex. towards right
Ex. Roger's been made

The mark of the cattle of ~~Samuel~~ Mayo is a Crop
of the left ear and a slit in the back side of the same ear
Entered May 28: 1696

The mark of the cattle of Joseph Mayrick is a swallow
tail cut in the top of the left ear Entered May 18: 1696

~~The mark of~~
The mark of the cattle of William Twining
is a hollow Crop in the top of the left ear
and a half penny cut in the back side of the same ear
Entered June 30: 1696

The mark of the cattle of Sarah Daniel Indianess of pita
nomacut is two peices cut out of the hind side of the left
ear like agoor and a half penny cut out of the hind side of
the right ear Entered July 15: 1697

At a former meeting

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granted to Samuel two year term of land
under his land upon the condition that he should
and must buy all the land due to the said Samuel
two acres of upland upon the point in terms of
for which to be left to the land already laid out

granted to Richard Knowles the sixth point of land
at the farthest of the goods of the said Samuel for
the same term of the said Samuel to be not granted

granted to William W. Young for one acre
of upland on the side of William D. East up and down
the Ball Lane for the same more of the goods of the
two lots.

granted to John Ball eight acres of land lying upon the
foreign side of the town over against the dwelling house
of Mr. John Dore or thereabouts

granted to William P. Smith for one acre of land
about of the same as above
as may be laid out on the
over against the point or thereabouts

granted to Samuel Ball six acres of land to be left to
William Smith is to be left up if he like it or else to
be left to the same

granted to David Hopkins six acres of land on the
foreign side of the town

granted to Samuel Ball four acres of upland upon the
account of Samuel Smith's land being one of the
small divisions formerly due to him

granted to Richard Smith for the site of the house
Twenty acres of upland to be laid out on the north of
land called Mass. Smith's with

granted to Samuel Ball on the side of the road on the
account of Samuel Smith's land to be laid out
about Billingsgate

X At a court meeting 13 June 1621
It is granted by Robert Whiting full and
power maddon lying between the ...
to the ... money at ...

granted to William Whiting ... 2 acres of maddon
lying between the ... of great ...

granted to ... 2 acres of maddon lying
between the ... of little ...

granted to Daniel Holt ... acres of land on the
... of the ...

granted to ... wood and enlargement of
maddon at the point of ... in the ...

granted to Richard ... of maddon and also
the ... ground on the ...

granted to Daniel Holt ... of land lying at
the ... of ...
... of the ... laid out to ...
at the corner of the ... and to ...
about the ... was between the lots ...
mainly obtaining to Edward ...

granted to Thomas ... a strip of maddon lying
between the ...

granted to Richard ... a ... of maddon lying
about the middle of the maddon at ...

granted to ... some ... of ... to be
laid out on ... and the ...

[illegible][illegible]

Jammell Bros

John Doane

Mr. Dean

✓ The Jack
Carr mark A

Fritz Gold

Work

I do hereby certify that since John Smallman
Daniel Cole of the town of Colerain has made an
assignment of land to say, above and to say, of my other
and assigns according to said and to said, further as
followeth, it is said John Smallman and by way of conveyance
said and delivered by my whole right and title to said
above of England he it more or less lying in the plantation
of Eastgate more a plot of land called Green's field
lying between the lands of said said land obtained to
John Smallman and assigns, also and also a plot of
meadow ground lying right before the said said land
it and the beach and running from the lands to the
beach on the side through the water to the bank of the
river, to the said Daniel Cole and to his heirs, assigns
and the said Daniel Cole in person, for the same part
by way of conveyance said and delivered by my whole right
and title to the said of England in the plantation above said
C lying by a pond called the young pond and is that part
formerly obtained to the said Kings and also part of
the said meadow, being more or less, but at that time
not when he was on the said of the said of the said
to the said part of the said in the said of the said
before said John Smallman and to his heirs, assigns
and forever And it is further said that the said
C under the nine acres and part of the said of the said
are to be paid for the meadow by the said of the said
to said Daniel Cole as it did before it was my own
And the said Daniel Cole doth hereby make promise
and bind my self, my heirs and assigns by the said of the said
any part to be paid upon the said of the said of the said
the said John Smallman only of the said of the said
and here being a small part of the said of the said
meadow only, for a small part of the said of the said
my part a little more than the said of the said
the said by the river of the said of the said
we come to the said of the said

John Smallman
Daniel Cole

11) At a former meeting certain glistery promises to
 be given in to the former stock
 promised by John Mose on paper to the former stock
 promised by Richard Gifford for John Mose on glistery
 draft of the same
 promised by Mark Snow one glistery paper
 promised by Richard Gifford on glistery draft
 promised by William Gifford some twelve shillings
 promised by William Mather twenty shillings
 promised by John Young sixteen shillings
 promised by Stephen Wood sixteen shillings

The mark of John Mose's Cattle and other Creatures is
 two slits in the under side of the right ear and one slit
 in the top of the left ear. Recorded June 11 1700.

The Children of Jacob Snow

Jacob Snow son of Manah Jacob born the 6th September 1670
 Jacob Snow son of Manah Edward born the 26th of March 1692
 Jacob Snow a daughter Manah Sarah born the 16th of February
 Jacob Snow a daughter Manah Grace born the 1st day of February 1695

The mark of Ralph Smith his horse is
 is a halfe penis cut out of the ~~side~~ ^{fore} side of
 the near ear and a hole in the ~~fore~~ ^{near} ear.
 entered the 11th of August 1679.

The mark of Thomas Smith his Cattle is
 a halfe penis cut out of the fore side of the
 same ear entered this 11th of August 1679

The mark of the Cattle of Thomas Smith
 junior is a Crox off the top of the far ear
 and a hole in the near ear entered
 this 11th of August 1679 and the mark of his horse is
 a brand on the left buttock

The Mark of the Cattle of Joseph Snow is a Crox off
 the top of the right ear and a halfe penis cut out of the
 hind side of each ear entered the 2nd of January
 1679

12)

Raymond Smith the mark of his battle entered
24 October 1653 viz the top of the nose part of
of

George Kiff the mark of his battle and
found a calf crop but out of the under part
of the left ear and a pit in the top of the
right ear viz 15 May 1654

Samuel Cole the mark of his battle a line
a calf crop being but out of the under part of
the right ear and a pit in the forehead
underneath the crop between the ears and the head
viz 1st of May 1653

Samuel Cole the mark of his crop line a piece
but out of the right ear about the middle of
the under part of the said ear and to be marked
with a brand mark of his form C being a pit
to be set in the left side above the jaw
viz same year that year mark now 8 years viz 20 May
1653

Mark the mark of his battle viz 23 May 1654
being a pit but in the ~~middle of the~~ left ear
marks in the right ear on the side of the head
thereof and the other on the other side

Jonathan Eggers the mark of his battle viz 2 May
1654 the top of the right ear but of a small
but in the same ear under mark

William Swinney the mark of his battle
viz 24 May 1654 an yellow ~~mark~~ but out of the
left ear and a piece but out of the under part
of the same ear ~~now the mark of the same~~ being his battle which
is ~~now the mark of the same~~ the mark of his battle
viz 24 May 1654 the top of the left ear but of a
piece but out of the same ear being the same
viz 24 May 1654

Mark the mark of his battle viz 17 June 1654
an calf crop on the side of the forehead of the head
but of the battle of

Mark of John Hoxman Junior two calf
reinde but out of the forehead of the head
same entered viz 9th day of May 1672

Mark of Stevon Hoxman but out of the
a crop off the top of the right ear and a half
but out underneath the ear viz 31 July 1672

13) Poppy Smith a daughter named Deborah born 2 Nov. 1694
Elizabeth a daughter named Joanna born 30 Nov. 1694

The Mark of the Battle of Jeremia Smith
a flint. Some to a top of the right ear
and a flint bit in the back of the head
and ~~under~~ ^{under} the 11th of November 1672

The marks of Thomas Baker's cattle is two fls. in
the wings of each feather and a fl. on the top of the first
feather of each wing. 1673

Thomas Bille the master of the Cattle 1673
is ~~a white man~~ a flite in the hind
side of the ship, I saw entered the left side of
may 1693 the name of Thomas Bille Hoxford is
~~on the~~ on or near bottom with the nine or eight
boards in the fore part.

John Smith Junior the marks of his Cattle
is a halfe Crox on the fore side of the top of the
new ear and a flit in the back side of the ear
was entered this 4th day of august in the year
1643

The Marks of the Cattle of Thomas Newman is
a halfe Crop on the fore side of the nose and
a flitte downe in the halfe Crop the 30th day of May

The marks of the Catharine of John Knowles
is a flitt down the top of the left ear and a groove cut
out of fore side of the face ear and ending entered
the 27th of Aprill: 1645
Now John Edwards

The neck of the Cattle of John Noyes is a year
cut off the hind side of the left ~~ear~~ to the
top of the ear and a slit in the skin of
the ear flaring downward around the slit
at right 167, Entered September 3rd 1688

The Marks of the Cattle of Mr. Daniel Treator
a goose cut off the path. Just at the top of the
near our leaving a goose standing in the flock
fannon. With this print on this 22nd day.

Mark of the cattle of Israel Cote is a half
off the hind part of the face of the right
eye and a chaffy Cote out underneath the half
eye and a Cote on the 29th 1679

Wm. and An. King married 18th May 1660
 W. William M. Walter and Sara Ino married at
 Jonathan Dyer and Rebecca Langs married October 28 1660
 Richard Mynst his children

a daughter named Mary born September 27 1642
a son named Benjamin born October 20 1644
a son named Thomas born in the town of New
Hampshire in July 1637

a son John born also named Benjamin born in
Haverhill in 1670

Joe, Jats & son of [unclear] Jats born in Ex town
of Durgam Cheruvu in Aug 1850 in Ex town 1850.

Robert H. Nicom a dancer named Herminway born
30 Aug 1874

General Spro a former names. John was born & grew up in the

Maria was a daughter of James Anna born 7 July 1626

My ord. knowledge a daughter named, my little girl born 20 May 1853
 an other daughter born to me 28 Feb 1854

an other day she came to give it September 16th 6th and said
she was the wife of Mark and was born 25th of 18th of 18th

Anna and her wife of the same family 25 July 1866
William C. King, Junior a daughter named Emma

born at Hamburg, 1684.

Geo. Lyden of William Meritt
 - One named William L. - A

a Town named William born 15 September 1673
also a Town named George born 12 March 1674

okl. a daughter named Rebecca born 23 July 1648

before a daughter named Mary, born + November 1650
 died + buried in 1652

old a daughter named Katy; born 15 May 1652
old a daughter named ~~Ann~~ ^{Elizabeth}; born 1652

0062 a female named Katy. Born 1 August 1864
0063 a/bun named Helen born 15 November 1864

[Handwritten signature]

Henry Adams a son named Hake born 14 Jan 1840

Harriet Gold & is Gjildron
a son named Hoen born 15 July 1844

also a form named *Cymatop*, borne 15 September 1946

all for a daughter named Elizabeth born 15 April, 1679

also a daughter named Mary born 15 April 1651
 also a son named Nathaniel born 1651

all be a form named *Formos* born 29 number 1

James born 30 November 1861

He is a poor woman. He has been 3 times in the

12)
The first of June 1658, betwixt me Edward Bangs and Daniel
Cole of the town of Eastham, came made an exchange of lands to
say of the said and to say, they give and assign to each and to each forever
as follows: If the said Daniel Cole by way of exchange, gave and
gave by my people right and title to the above of the said and being
more or less, is the lot of ground now on my dwelling east side
formerly stands at the place right is called the rock spring and a
small piece of meadow adjoining to the aforesaid lot of ground and also
an other lot of ground being six acres more or less lying on the south
side of the house and the all were averagable, more by the aforesaid
piece of Daniel Cole and stands together with the avancements of
fencing a timber containing to the lot of ground all right by the said
Daniel Cole by way of exchange, sold my whole right and title to the
aforesaid Edward Bangs and to his heirs to give and to give
forever, And if the aforesaid Edward Bangs gave also by way of
of exchange for the aforesaid lands, sold and given, to the aforesaid
Daniel Cole and to his heirs or assigns to give and to give for
ever my whole right and title to the above of the said and being more
or less lying in the plantation of the said and being parts of the said
is called the said and lying between two other lots right and
some time obtained to the aforesaid and the said John Dean
lands also, gave an other of meadow ground being more or less lying
in the town of the said fields and adjoining to meadow by the aforesaid
containing to the said John Dean his being one by the aforesaid side of it
and also six acres of the said lying by a pond called the spring
ground lying here together for a lot appertaining to the said spring
lands together with the avancements appertaining thereto the same
by the said Edward Bangs gave as aforesaid by way of exchange, sold
to the said Daniel Cole for give and his heirs or assigns to give and
forever and our heirs also give mutually, consented to
the aforesaid exchange in respect of right power right by the said
to the aforesaid lands: the land being all in the plantation
of the said lot are above mentioned, for confirmation of the
me Edward Bangs and Daniel Cole give parts of our lands
and the parts of the said Daniel Cole and Edward Bangs, con-
firmed by the said and for confirmation to the said and family
perpetually in 1658

memorandum betwixt the said Edward Bangs and Daniel Cole
it is noted by all the aforesaid in the writing of the said
lot by the said and the said John Dean lying together
by the said of a lot belonging to the said and family
Edward Bangs
Daniel Cole
REBEKAH BANGS
Nath. Cole Jr. witness

16)

The mark of Nathaniel Mayors Catell is a Crop one
the loafe & a slit into the same under the Crop. 10th 1652

The mark of ~~John~~ ^{Joshua} Bangor Catell a Slit down the
top of the right & side. Entered his house June 1658

The mark of John Bangor Catell a slit down the
top of the left side. Entered with this brand mark
upon the narrow shoulder 1658

The mark of John Mayors Catell is a half Crop one
the fore side of loafe side & a half Crop one the
hinder side of the right side. Entered 1658

The mark of Thomas Williams Catell is a Crop
one the left side & a slit in the top of the right side. Entered 1658

The mark of Thomas Paines Catell is a half Crop
one the back side of the right side & a slit one the
top of the left side. Entered 1658

The mark of M^r Johns Besomers Catell
is a half moon cut out under the left side. Entered 1658

The mark of Giles Hopkins Catell is a half Crop
one the left side & a Crop one the right side. Entered 1658

The mark of Job Cooles Catell is half Crop one
the left side. Entered 1658

The mark of Longmont Rogers Catell is a half
Crop one the right side. Entered 1658

The mark of ~~John~~ ^{Samuel} Catell is two slits
in the right side of the loafe. Entered 1658

The mark of Robert Stephens Catell is a Crop
one the top of the right side & a slit down in the
middle of the Crop. Entered 1658

The mark of John Jones Catell is
two slits in the under side of the left side. June 10 1658

The mark of Richard Higgins Catell is a pore cut
of the hind side of the left side to the top of the
loafe & a slit cut in the side of the side slanting
downwards. Entered 1658

The mark of Susanna Rogers Catell is a half Crop one
the left side & a slit under the Crop. Entered May 15th 1662

The mark of George Crisp Catell is a half Crop one
the left side cut out and a slit under the top of the right side. Entered 1662

The mark of Thomas Rogers Catell a half Crop one
the right side and a slit cut in the fore side of the
left side. Entered September 2nd 1664

(17)
The marks of Josiah Cooks cattle is a hollow roze on the
fore right eare and a roze cut out behind the same eare and a roze
cut out behind the left eare

The marks of Josiah Cooks his charge kind is a flitt downe the
top of both the eares

The marks of Samuell ~~Freemans~~ cattle is a roze on the left eare
and two flitts downe in the roze entered this 27th of January 1669

The marks of M^r Thomas Crofby cattle a flitt upon the left eare
eare behind the eare and a roze cut round about behind
on the right eare near eare

The marks of Samuell Dore cattle two flitts upon the top of the eares
side the left eare and two flitts under the right eare

The marks of ~~Samuell Dore~~ cattle is a hollow roze cut
out upon the top of both eares entered this ~~27th of January 1669~~ 7th 1678

The marks of M^r Thomas Crofby horse kind a flitt on the top of the
left eare a halfe crosse on the right eare and a roze cut out
underneath the same eare this 15th of September 1669

The marks of Josiah Cooks ^{Junior} cattle a halfe roze cut out behind each
eare mark this 22th 1669 alias 1669

The marks of Samuell Smiths cattle a hole about the
middle of the noard eare

The marks of John Smiths cattle a flitt on the
top of the left eare and a little roze cut out
rounding behind the right eare March 22th 1669

The marks of ~~Samuell Dore~~ cattle a flitt upon the top of the
left eare and a flitt upon the top of the
right eare entered this 15th of February 1678

The marks of ~~Heaven~~ cattle a flitt on the
top of the left eare and a flitt on the top of the
right eare this 26th of July 1669

The marks of the cattle of William
Moor & son a shallow tailer in the top of the
left eare and a flitt in the fore side of the
same eare the 26th of July 1670

The marks of Ebraim Dore cattle two flitts in
the fore side of the left eare and a flitt in the
top of the right eare this 28th of July 1670

The marks of the cattle of John Dore
a hollow roze in the top of the left eare
and a halfe roze cut out of the back
side of the left eare the 28th of January 1670

Order in the town of Eastham November the 6th 1558
 That no man of the inhabitants of Eastham shall keep any Swine
 after September next ensuing the date hereof but if any keep any
 suddenly coming & goaded upon complaint, upon the forfeiture of the Swine
 one third part to him yt brings them to the pound & two thirds to the town
 & the owners of these Swine yt are in the woods abroad are to make full
 Satisfaction for w^{ch} damages these Swine shall doe in the future.

Order at the same meeting yt w^{ch} Swine men keep at their doores or about their
 houses shall be sufficiently rung or kept up by the middle of Nov^r with next ensuing
 the date hereof & w^{ch} damages these Swine shall doe the owners of them are to make
 full Satisfaction for upon the forfeiture aforesaid & these Swine are to be kept
 upon Complaint.

Order at the same meeting yt the Clarke shall have four pence for recording
 the marks of every horse & four pence for the delivery of every horse & giving
 a note for a to him yt carries the horse away.

Order at the same meeting yt the vicar shall have four pence apiece
 for every most beast provided they exceed not four of one mans & three pence
 for every Swine provided they exceed not four of one mans & two pence for every
 sheep if they exceed not four of one mans.

Order at the same meeting yt the vicar shall have eight pence for
 every horse yt is poundd & twelve pence a day for keeping them.

At a town meeting December 1st 1558

Agreed yt Mr. Peffer & Edward Bunge shall provide two horses
 & two men for the Conveys Services the town providing - Satisfaction
 Furniture for them & they to provide two men & two horses
 so long as yt furniture shall last.

At the same meeting agreed yt Richard Vigon shall provide
 man & horse for the Conveys Services the town providing - Furniture
 & a man & horse so long as he is able & then to give the
 town sufficient warning to provide them so as & he have & so
 the furniture to the town.

Order at a town meeting December 1st 1558 that whereas the
 Common Work as it was formerly done according to former Order
 it was but to sum men it is now ordered yt it shall be disposed
 according to the discretion of the officers for the towns good & what
 Charges they may incur for the wintering of them the town is to pay.

Order at the same meeting yt the Stewards shall have two pence
 apiece for all land they measure & apiece an acre for all land
 yt the bounds is showne them & they only to take notice of the doores
 & see them recordd according to order.

Order at the same meeting yt Nicolas Snow Josiah Cooke Richard
 Draxen Mr. John Freeman & Robert Wickham are appointed to survey
 all the land yt is granted or layd out to the several inhabitants of the
 town this & see it recordd according to order & this to be done
 w^{ch} last of them by the last of March 1558.

(13) At a Towne meeting December 14th 1658

Ordered yt the Strangers Shall pay out Six acres of Land for
Leaftonant Rogers. It is wanting of his proportion

Ordered at the Same meeting yt the Towne rates shall be levied according
to order of Court for all Rates yt are to be levied from this time
forward December 14th 1658 only this present Rate to be levied according
as the rates were in 1654.

Ordered at the Same meeting yt whosoever brings by & rounds any
Strangers horses shall have two Shillings Six pence for every head provided
none of them Suck & so much a head until agreement be made & after
agreement to be there.

Ordered at the Same meeting yt the Towne Officers for the horses going there
Shall in this Towneship shall not exceed two Shillings a month.

Ordered at the Same meeting yt the Towne Clarke shall have three
pence a year for recording of Land

At a Towne meeting February 14th 1659

Granted yt m^r Thomas Prime shall have ~~his~~ his proportion
of Land yt is due to him layd out at Towne.

Granted at the Same meeting yt John Smaly shall have the Swamp
lying at the back of his house mouth & he to low out the brook and
the ridge of Land lying betwene the Swamp & the pond

Granted at the Same meeting yt Richard Eijons shall have a Swamp
lying at the head of the Bay pond containing halfe an acre & it more
or less provided he leave a sufficient watering places for cattell
to drink

Granted at the Same meeting yt Thomas Paine shall have a piece of
Common medow lying betwene Thomas Paines medow & Joseph Gardings
outing on Thomas Williams medow in the boat medow

Granted at the Same meeting yt John Mayo shall have the Swamp lying
against his Land by his house provided he clear it in two years.

Granted at the Same meeting yt George Gripe shall have the Swamp
lying on the East Side of his house & a piece of Exland lying on
the north Side the Swamp betwene the Swamp & John Youngs Land

Ordered at the Same meeting yt m^r Thomas Prime Nicholas Snow
& Leaftonant Rogers shall draw up a forme of all the Lands yt is
parcel of the Indenture this Towneship

Ordered at the Same meeting yt the Clarke shall give now notice to any
man for his Exland & any Strangers horses wth out order from
one or two of the men yt are o^r S^r for the horses going in this
Towne Shire

At a town meeting February 14th 1658

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Promised freely by M^r Thomas Prince to find a man & horse wth compleat furniture for the Contry's Service for two years of his own charges & the time to begin the first of June 1659

At the Same meeting Promised freely by Edward Bangor to find a man & horse wth compleat furniture for the term of one year for the Contry's Service & the time to begin the first of June 1659

Whereas it is an order of Court yt every town in this Colony is to have two or three men for the sight & disposal of poor children this town hath chosen Edward Bangor Nicholas Snow & Richard Sigons according to order

Done

At a town meeting the 28th of July: 1659.

It is ordered by the town yt whosoever is absent from the town meeting having timely notice of the same or who comes not at the time appointed shall pay for every default five shillings from the first of march to the last of october & from the last of october to the first of march one shilling & whosoever shall depart without leave before they be dismissed shall pay one shilling for every default. October 27th 59

Ordered at the Same meeting that whosoever shall bring in any horses to the pound at any time shall have 20^s if such horses remain contrary to yt in foyes the horse is to pay 20^s to him yt brings them to the pound

Ordered at the Same meeting yt Nicholas Snow & Richard Sparrow & Daniel Cooke shall have a poe of land by the living pond for Samuell Freeman & a poe of land by the muddy pond for Joseph Rogers June:

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At a Town meeting october 27th 1659

Ordered yt that men which from time to time are chosen to see the town stock shall take care of the meeting house for the enlarging or repairing & keeping it in a convenient comfortable condition to meet in & the charges to be paid out of the town stock.

At the Same meeting ordered yt all the inhabitants of this town shall give in a true inventory of their estate yt is valuable to them yt are chosen to be raters within five dayes after the raters be chosen upon the forfeiture of five shillings upon every default yt amount is not given in etc

October 24th 1659

Ordered y^e ~~trustee~~ ^{trustee} shall cut any lyege wth in three mile of the meeting house upon the common shall pay for every default five shillings

Granted at the same meeting to Joseph Rogers Junior twenty acres of upland lying upon the against Stuts high & the Surveyors or any three of them to lay it out as they think meet.

At above meeting May 15th 1660. in John Freeman & Nicholas Snow were chosen Surveyors & were to mend the common road way lying at the head of the field from the mill to the end of their bounds towards Warrington & in John Dore & Richard Rogers & Thomas Paine wth the Surveyors are to appoint wth exclusive high ways were to be mended & that wth most convenient in the ways were to mend them by the appointment of the above said for this p^{er}petuity.

At a towns meeting November the 5th 1660.

Ordered y^e who former shall find a whale wth in this Township & more if it can come & give notice to the Towne & to his next neighbour shall have two shares for his pains & for every man it is give notice to his next neighbour & to meet at the Towne the first opportunity by the two shares above mentioned it be a downman here it to have a double share if they be not they must have a single share.

At a meeting at Goodman Banges December 13th 1660.

Ordered y^e inhabitants of this Township so great in number that all the townsmen should meet to cut up any drift whale it comes in to their limits according to former agreement it is now ordered y^e any 1 man the Towne shall be except of it shall cut up any whale lying wth in their bounds from Great namebracket to Eastfish which or one the Eastward side between the two harbours shall have for every whale two pound & from North fish Creek to their bounds towards parliament three pound & that men y^e undertake it having any notice of a drift whale within their precincts & lose it through their neglect are to make good the damages to the Towne.

Joseph Smith Johnathan Sparrow Tho: Williams and William Walter ^{undisputed} for the first fish

Jonathan Mayo John Mayo Maria Snow and John Dore Junior ^{undisputed} for the second fish

Richard Rogers Sinder looks to provide a Company for to cut up the third fish.

22) At a town meeting February 8th 1660.

Ordered by the town of Lieutenant John Freeman & Richard
Egons & Thomas Williams shall have the land at mannemore.

X Ordered at the same meeting by the town of one of four of the
Church & one of the town of the year past shall annually
be chosen to serve the next year.

Whereas according to a town order we do annually choose five men
to see for the Common stock & to act in it according to our former
agreement as is upon record, Now the townsmen of Eastham meet
together this 8th of February 1660. do further impose them to inquire
after any breach of or priviledges of Town orders, as also to demand
any debts or dues belonging to the town & to take all due reputation
by all lawfull means & to punish those five of them or any three of them
or any attorney or attorneys under them shall do in the name & behalfe
of the town & for the town of Eastham, Now the said inhabitants of Eastham
do oblige & oblige to allow ratify & conform as if done by & oblige
as also to make good all charges & expenses & charges & expenses
arise in the prosecuting of any of these premises in the behalfe of the
town, & if they do give an account to the town of their doings as
often as shall be required of them.

X At a town meeting March 11th 1661.

Ordered by the town of the town shall have a right with in four
weeks shall have one pound for Shillings & one pound for five
man as shall be filled after ward in this town.

Ordered at the same meeting of the town of the Common stock
shall pay to John Young the sum of seven pounds towards his house
& land in the town of Eastham bought of him in the town of Eastham.

X At a town meeting March 17th 1661.

11 It is granted to Mr. John Freeman that in lieu of a house lot that
was formerly granted to him near the head of the Cove and also
a parcell of upland that had bought of Ralph Smith adjoining to his
house lot all of it given containing seven acres and a half
or all more or less that Mr. John Freeman shall have a parcell
of upland at great marshes lying from Mr. John Freemans
bound that is from the head of a creek that comes up in Guiley
Hopkins meadow upon a straight line to the bound marks tree that
is between Mr. Thomas Roberts and Richard Sparrow which is
a white oak marked always provided that Edward Bangor shall
have free retour to his meadow by a gate or barrie and also
free liberty to make use of any stuffe of of this ground for
the tanning of his meadow. Also Mr. John Freeman hath
liberty from the town to performe his engagement formerly
made with Boniah Dunham.

Jonathan Sparrow is chosen by the town to be one for
the laying out of land in the room of his father.

It is granted to Robert Wixam a litle piece of marsh grow
to the harbor lying between Samuel Hip and his own meadow
which is that it doth upon the allowing of the Rate
It is granted to Richard Haggons two acres of meadow at little
Bellinggate that is doth upon the allowing of the Rate

It is further ordered at the aforesaid meeting fide lyt 16 July 62 by the gentle-
men of this place they have joyntly resolved that the upland and all the marsh
ground that lyeth upon the Island commonly called the Brittenbury Island it shall
not be disposed to any person but by a general joynt consent and that it shall be
for a publicke use. ~~and that no man shall appropriate the~~
whole or any part of it for his own use but by a joynt consent

X At a town meeting held the 11th of November 1662
It is ordered that no man shall keep or take into the townshipp
any horse kind of any foreigner neither directly nor indirectly but
shall pay five pence a year annually for every head

X At a town meeting held the 24 of February 1662
Ordered by the town that Mr John Furmen Nicholas Snow
Robert Wixam John Smally make Snow which were overseers of the
Common stocks the last year should hold the following year and
are willing being desired

In Reference to an order of Court dated 42 folio 78 the town hath
ordered that any of those four men that are chosen the overseers of the Common
stocks shall warn any such as shall come into the town that they may be
sufficient to except a gift to be given in the behalf of the town except the
town in the general shall otherwise dispose

Also by a joynt agreement ordered that the town will keep three weeks to carry
their corn to shell fishery during those weeks and to begin the 2nd week in March
as also they have desired Mr Roseman to agree with John King for the building
a chimney adjoining to the mill and what they shall agree for the town shall
contribute to discharge

12 It is further ordered by the town that no man shall keep or take in
in the townshipp any horse kind of any foreigner neither directly
nor indirectly upon the penalty of five pence a year for every head

At a town meeting held the 28th of December 1662
It is ordered that for every whale that shall come within the bounds of the town
after the rate above said it shall be disposed fide lyt the one half to the town
to have one whale and the other half of the town to have the other and so for
the future as also it is already ordered that the half of the town that live
on the North part shall have the first whale or if there should come at
one time but half a whale this should be equally divided to the whole they paying their
part and not to be intended to be there turns but to look out for the next
always provided that a barrell of oyle for powder and a hoghead for the pulchre
must be refused delivered to the town

At a town meeting held the 12th of August 1663
It is agreed that for the raising up of the sum of fifty pounds per annum for
Mr Crosby for carrying on the pulchre for the town it shall be paid
upon the 1st of August as other publicke charges are
At this meeting it is chosen Nicholas Snow Robert Wixam John Smally George
Crosby Thomas Sparrow to be the sufficient of the town
It is ordered that none shall sell any common sewage or meadow to have the
but say it himself upon the forfeiture of five pence a head
for every person that sells any

At a Towne Meeting held the 1st of July 1667

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It is agreed that Samuel Freeman shall pay a Rate of 10^s is now sent for by a warrant from Court the Sum is four pence one Shilling the other half to be paid in money sometime in this month July - and the other half to be paid in peas or wheat to the Treasurer in October or where the Treasurer shall approve. And for this payment he is to have a black horse which runs at Palmitt it being the Cowry formerly Chaddells and he is to take up this horse with in two monthes time or if we see him well in this time the horse is to be accounted Samuel Freeman or if after this two monthes time the horse is seen of any English man this horse is to be accounted Samuel Freeman
And further the said Samuel Freeman in consideration of the above said promise he is to serve in the place of a Trooper for this Towne three years Complate except of any such sickness or sickness or or that the above said horse is signified when he is lost from the ingagement of Trooping for the Towne. And if the horse misstray before delivery as above said then the Towne is to pay back the money againe to Samuel Freeman.

At a Towne Meeting held the 22th of May 1668

M^r John Freeman.
Rich: Higgin: Comittes

Joseph Harding Constable
John Smally grandjurymen
Ensigne Mervith.
Henry Atkins Surveyor

At a Towne Meeting it is agreed that no cowman shall buy any quarter of wheate small nor more of any Indian but that the party or wheate that belongs to the Indians shall belong to the whole Towne upon the proportion of ten pound

At a Towne Meeting the 1 of May provided by the Towne to allow Samuel Freeman ten shillings to be allowed him in his next rate in consideration of the bargain a bond written about the horse.

At a Towne Meeting the 10th May 1668. Chosen by the Towne

M^r Freeman.
Joseph Cook Deputy

Zonathan Gannon grandjurymen
Robert Wigan Constable
Ray Smut. William Diving Surveyor

At a Towne Meeting the 22 of July 1667 Rated that were Chosen were Richard Higgin, Janyll Cole, Maspe Snow, Zonathan Gannon these were to make the Rate for the Country Rate and Deputy grandjurymen.

26) at a town meeting the 14th of July
chosen to be rate makers for the town
C. rate and scabuty and granjurio man way

Samuel Cole
William Minors
John Doane Junr
Mark Snow

at a town meeting held 17th of May 1671
the town rate began Josiah Cook and Samuel
James Deputie

William Downing granjurio man
John Mayo Constable

Michael Snow and John Hopkins granjurio

Samuel Cole
Michael Snow
Jonathan Sparrow
Thomas James
Mark Snow

at a town meeting held the 13th of
July in the year 1671
the town rate began to be set made

Samuel Cole
goodman books
goodman Wiggleson
Mark Snow

At a Towne meeting hold the 26th of August 1667

It is agreed by the Consent of the Towne that Jonathan Sparrow for
Soll^{ly} manage himselfe to be a trooper for the Towne of Calham for
for and in consideration hereof the Towne have delivered a saddle a pair
houlstards and pistols that is now in the hands of Samuel Goodman as his own
property right

Granted to Benniah Jahan the quantity of an acre of vland adjoining to his house
which is already in fens going to the old fens where his house stands

At a Towne meeting hold the 25th of February 1668

These persons are chosen to be overseers of the
Towne stocks: Edwrd Gilt John Small John Wixam

Marks Snow Benniah Jahan
Jonathan Sparrow

At a Towne meeting hold the 13th of May 1669 it is ordered
that at future Towne meetings at the Towne Court Raters that
then and there every person loyable to be Rated that bring in
or send a true surveye of their Ratable estate and deliver it
in the face of the Towne to four persons as are chosen Raters
on the forfeiture of two shillings for every fault

At a Towne meeting hold the 11th August 1669

It is agreed that if any of the inhabitants of this Towne shall
marks cause or assist in the marking any horse colts or horse-kind
that runn within this Towneship for such as are not inhabitants of this
Towne either directly or indirectly shall pay twenty shillings yearly
for every such horse mare or colt that shall be marked and be
to be required of those persons that shall go from Griffe by the Towne
Clarks for the Townes use.

At a Towne meeting hold the 9th of
May 1670 chosen by the Towne

Danill Cole Jonathan Sparrow Doanly

Tho Payne grand jury man

Samuel Smith Constable

Rathan Rowly Samuel Goodman Sumary

Danill Cole Nicholas Snow Josiah Cope

Cristian Lagers Jonathan Sparrow These four
are chosen Elders men

27) At a town meeting the 30th day of July 1672
the town hath chosen for Deputies
Daniel Gole and Thomas James

X

George Gifford grazierman
Jonathan Thayer Constable
John Doane and Daniel Doane for riders for
the High way

Minglas Snow Daniel Gole Thomas James
Jonathan Sparrow Mark Snow select men

At a town meeting the 30th day of July 1672
the town hath chosen to be Deputies

Daniel Gole
Jonathan Sparrow
John Doane
Mark Snow

at a town meeting the 12th day of May 1673
the town hath chosen for Deputies Thomas James
Jonathan Sparrow

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John Thayer grazierman
John Gole Constable
John Doane and Daniel Doane for riders for the high way

Nicholas Snow
Jonathan Sparrow Select men
Mark Snow

at a town meeting the 5th day of August
the town hath chosen to be select
men

Jonathan Sparrow
William Minkerson senior
John Doane junior
Mark Snow

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it is agreed by the town to give
 Jonathan Sparrowe full power the High
 to this dwelling house as it now stands
 allowing in ^{land} ~~land~~ as much ground as the
 away from the at the other corner of
 land

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At a town meeting the 11th of April
 it is agreed by the inhabitants of the town
 that if it please god to bring Mr. Brewster to
 settle amongst us in respect of carrying on
 the public worship of god amongst us in an
 official way, that we wishing and desiring
 to allow him ^{the} ~~the~~ house and out of ~~the~~ ^{his} ~~the~~
 a sufficient load of wood brought to his
 house or place of residence ~~for~~

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also at the same meeting it is agreed by the town that a
 of upland and meadow given to the town by Margoth Comber
 as a parcel of upland and meadow bought by the town of John
 as also three acres of meadow called the mile meadow as also the
 at Billingsgate called Linstonards place with the meadow about it
 broken through in the great meadow that is not already laid out
 towards a piece of upland at the head of the Cove called the town
 all these uplands and meadows are by the joint consent of the
 referred for the support of such person or persons as shall be
 in the work of the ministry amongst us

also at the same meeting in reference to building a house for the
 of the town if they be one to get it up at the head
 town Cove upon land there referred for that use and if
 treat be willing to dwell there he shall have it for his use for
 as he shall there reside and if it please god to take him
 by death and leave a wife and children or either of them behind
 then the town is willing for their support to give them a parcel of
 upland and meadow lying on the other side of the brook between
 Nicholas Snow and Steven atwood to be their own for ever and the
 other to be the town's still for the use of the ministry but
 if Mr. Brewster would rather dwell on that land on the other side of the
 brook between Nicholas Snow and Steven atwood and upon his settlement
 there build there upon his own cost and charge he shall have the
 parcel of upland and meadow for him and his for ever and to
 have the use of the other uplands and meadows referred
 for the ministry for long as he shall have a wife
 in that work

At a town meeting the 12th of September 1673
Daniel Cole and Jonathan Sparrow chosen
Deputies for the next ensuing Court called
upon for special session

At a town meeting the 18th May 1674
The town hath chosen for Deputies Jonathan Sparrow
Jonathan Thayer
Samuel Hasman, Junr
Thomas James Constable
Robert Mignon and Henry Adline for assessors

for select Men Daniel Cole
Nicholas Snow
Jonathan Sparrow
Jonathan Thayer
Mark Snow

At a town meeting the nineteenth day of July
1674
The town hath chosen Jonathan Sparrow
John Doane
Jonathan Thayer
Mark Snow

These persons witnesseth an agreement and bargain betwixt Steven at wood
and the towne in reference to his land and Meadow adjoining unto his New Dwelling
house the towne doth agree by way of exchange in consideration for the
same to alone and give the said Steven at wood fiftie acres of land at
new the halfe way, ponds by the way, going to Billingsgate where he shall
think most provided it shall not prejudice the high way, to go to
Billingsgate and for his twenty acres of land at Boffett the towne doth
agree by way of exchange to give him twenty acres of land adjoining to
the above said fiftie acres at the halfe way, ponds

X Likewise the towne hath bargained with the said Steven at wood for his
New Dwelling house that is to say, his New rounse and the Chimney: and in
consideration for the same the towne is to give him thirtie pounds: new
pounds in Cattel and twenty pounds in possession at Current price at or before
the last of October next ensuing the date hereof: there being twentie five
shillings of the said twenty pounds already agreed upon by the towne to be
to be paid to the said Steven at wood in Monny, at or before the last
of May, next ensuing the date hereof: and the said Steven at wood
hath libertie to remove his old Dwelling house and no other housing
and the towne hath Mowmen agreed to give the said Steven at wood
every man a day, work a year when Ranshall Call for it provided it
be not in plowing time or harvest or Mow time except they be willing
to home it may concerne: in witness whereof the said Steven at wood for
his selfe and Mark Snow in the behalfe of the towne have set their
hands this 27th of March 1673

Steven at wood
Mark Snow

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The 27th of March

The towne hath Chosen Surveyant ffrazer and Jonathan ffarron to att in
the towne behalfe in reference to build a house for the use of the Minster
and the towne doth jointly and severally agree and engage to bene all their
necessaries arising thereabout in forre according to Contract as they shall engage
or disburse to build and finish the said house

The 29th of March 1675

The towne hath made an orde in reference to the destroying of the
blackbirds and Crows which are very annoyous unto us in dammiting our
Corns the towne doth agree that every householder within this
township shall kill or cause to be killed twelve black birds
a year betwixt this and the last of May, ~~annuall~~ or else to forfeit
five shilling in Monny to the towne for every four such man
shot shall be wholly defective or five pounds a year for every
black bird short of twelve to a man: and by twelve black birds
is to be understood a crow in lew of four black birds or three
Crows in the lew of the whole twelve black birds: and these to
be brought into the towne Snow or ~~Jonathan~~ or Mark
Snow
Jabez Daniel Deane

at a house meeting the 12 of May 1645
34) shown at wood ^{portion} delivered in a deed to the town in reference
to a house and land bought of the said at wood by
C. the town

memorandum - shown at wood delivered in to the town at a public
May the 12th 1645 town meeting a deed which he had of Richard Higgin
wherein the land is specified which the above said
house stands upon

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May the 12th 1645 The town hath granted to Thomas Ellis a little piece of land
adjoining to land which he bought of Josiah Cook

May the 12th 1645 The town hath granted to William ^{Walter} a small parcel of land
being a little north between the swamps near his other land
where he dwells

May the 12th 1645 The town have left for Jonathan Sparrow and as many of the
townsmen that live at points as are willing to join with him
all the flats and beach between the harbour against the stage
point and between the harbour for five years provided that
the said Sparrow take care that all the horse fide and neat
cattle be kept off of the said flats beach and flands

May the 12th 1645 The town hath chosen William Twining and Samuel Freeman
to take care about Mr. Twink's maintenance for the following year
so far that it be duly paid and to keep a clear account
about it

May the 12th 1645 The town hath chosen to be presented to the Court for
enfranchisement Jonathan Higgin and Jonathan Thayer
for deputies Jonathan Sparrow and Mark Snow
for grange man John Mayo
for constable Joshua Thayer
for justice men Nicholas Snow Jonathan Sparrow and Mark
for jurors Robert Wigan and Henry Atkins

Memorandum
1645 The town hath chosen to present to the Court and
Council for lieutenant — Jonathan Sparrow
and Jonathan Thayer

33) A list of the names of the freemen of this town

W^m John Freeman senior

~~Michael Snow~~

~~Robert King~~

~~Joseph Rogers~~

Daniel Cole senior

~~John Snow~~

~~Robert King~~

~~Joseph Rogers~~

William Twining senior

Jonathan Sparrow senior

John Bangs

~~Joseph Rogers~~

Jonathan Higgins senior

Jonathan Higgins

John Freeman junior

Thomas Freeman

Jonathan Bangs senior

Mark Snow

Samuel Freeman senior

Henry Adams

William Malters senior

Thomas Gains senior

Steven Atwood senior

Joseph Harding senior

Steven Snow

John Doane senior

John Mayo senior

Daniel Doane senior

John Rogers

Steven Hays senior

Josiah Cook senior

Joshua Bangs

William Morris junior

Edmond Freeman

Thomas Gains junior

Israel Cole

Samuel Freeman junior

Thomas Smith

John Gains

Haas Cooper

Nicola Snow

Jonathan Higgins junior

Joshua Hopkins

John Sparrow

Samuel Smith senior

Samuel Mayo senior

Nathaniel Mayo senior

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31) At a town meeting the 12th of May 1644
The town hath Chosen to present to the Court
C. for ensigne Jonathan Higgins and Jonathan Thayer

The Court has Conford the office of ensigne of the
militarie Companie of this town upon Jonathan Higgins

At a town meeting the 15th of September
The town hath Chosen for deputies 1645
Jonathan Sparrow and Jonathan Thayer
upon Special oration

At a town meeting the 10th of January 1645
The town hath Chosen to make a rate of 5^s in
month for part of Charges about the Soldiers
against the Indians

Jonathan Sparrow
John Doane Junior
Jonathan Thayer
Martha Snow

At the same Meeting it was agreed by the
town that those persons that did neglect to
bring or Cause to be brought in to the ratables
the value of their ratable estate when any rate
is to be made shal be rated according to the
definition of the ratables

At a town meeting the 17th of February 1645
It is the joint agreement and determination of
the Court in reference to a real Mistake in a warrant
Come from the Councell of Mass to the Constable to
raise Soldiers wherein we are proportioned yet highly
above our Complement we conclude to give our full
Complement of men and no more which is true as appears
by a list from the Court: and wee engage and bind
our selves to furnish the Constable from any damage
that may Come to him about it

The Councell has Conford upon Jonathan Sparrow
the office of lieutenant for this town and
Militarie Companie

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at a town meeting the 21st of March 1645-6
 The town hath chosen to make a rate of
 C. five hundred five shillings and five pence
 for Defring Charges about the war against the
 Indian
 as also to make a rate of four hundred
 pounds ten shillings to pay by the
 town stock of ammunition
 also for a pair of eightie eight pounds
 mounds shillings and five pence for
 provisions wages and firing them out for
 service from the first expedition to the
 war against December 1645 untill April 1646

Jonathan Sparrow
 Thomas Stone
 John Doane
 William Minter
 Mark Stone

at a Town meeting May the 2nd 1646

The Town hath chosen for deputies lieutenant
 for grand jurie man Benjamin Higgins
 for Constable John Doane
 for provisions for the high ways Robert Wiman and
 Henry Adams
 for Souldiers lieutenant Sparrow for gent charge
 and Mark Stone

at a town meeting June 1646 the town hath chosen
 to make a rate of ten pounds fifteen shillings for
 Defring Charges arising about the war

for gent charge
 John Doane
 Mark Stone

July 12th 1646

The town hath chosen for Ratemakers to make
 the Countie rate as also a rate of 50
 to Defring Charges arising about the war

Thomas Stone
 John Doane
 Jonathan Stone
 Mark Stone

September
the 1st: 1696

C.

The Towne hath Chosen for Ratmakers to
make a Rate of 125-8-3 for discharging
of Charges arising about the late year first
year left to this instant

January
the 29: 1696

Whereas it appears to be a matter of debate between us
and our neighbours of the other three townes namely Barnstable
Sandwich and Yarmouth in reference to Charges arising about
the frigate kept on the farther side of Sandwich this last
summer
The Towne hath Chosen Lieutenant Jonathan ~~Seymour~~ Seymour
and Sergeant Jonathan Liangs to act in the Towne behalfe
in that matter both to agitate and give the law
with our friends of the other three townes abovesaid

Whereas it may or doth appear that any person or persons belonging
unto any other Towne ~~doth~~ or may come into our Township and
either by themselves or by any other person or persons employed by
them or for them do take our yare knots and run them or cause
them to be spent in so far as to appropriate it to themselves all
for devalue the Towne of their yare knots and lawfull right
without order from the Towne or any person or persons that
may be ordered by the Towne to act in their behalfe
upon that account

the 29 of
January
1696

The Towne hath Chosen Sergeant Jonathan
Liangs and Samuel Knowles to act in the
Towne behalfe in reference to any person
or persons not belonging to this Towne that
do make use of any yare knots with either
directly or indirectly for as to devalue the
Towne of their right ~~and~~ do in give to the
abovesaid Jonathan Liangs with ~~Samuel~~ and Samuel
Knowles to seize all such knots for gathered at abovesaid
place either the knots or far after it is run. for the
Towne use and to appropriate the same to effect: and do
beside engage our selves to stand by them in it and to bear
all necessary Charges that shall arise there about: and
the said Jonathan Liangs and Samuel Knowles is to
give a just and true account to the Towne of their
actings in and about the yare knots upon demand of the
Towne

August
1697

The Towne hath granted to Stephen Hopkins two acres
of marsh ground on the farther side of great
Salem River below the narrow place, laid out

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Mat. the 23rd
1677

The town hath Chosen for deputies

Wm. Freeman

and Mark Snow

for grantuist man Daniel Doane

for Constable Thomas Mulford

for Select Men Wm. Freeman

John Doane

and Mark Snow

for Surveyors of the high way Jonathan Higgs

and John Doane

2nd day
of August 1677

granted to John Smith senior a small parcel of broken marsh ground near the harbor mouth lying between the river of St. John at west from which the town is separated for a parcel for docks for boats if it be not otherwise disposed of already and in consideration of the fact the said John Smith is to get a small and a regard the setting back thereof sufficiently where it wants that being and the said marsh be already disposed of then to be paid for his work by the town in the next year

August 24th 1677

at a town meeting the town hath granted to Thomas Mulford all the wood and brush that grows or is upon the land between the river of his other land at the great water and the beach and the beach

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all the grass being granted to Mr John Freeman senior a small parcel of land about the quarters of two acres or thereabouts at the head of the river adjoining to his other land at Forest

all the grass meeting the town hath granted to Jonathan Higgs a parcel of fudge ground adjoining to Sanford place containing two acres more or less bounded at the northward and by two works and at the southward and by a yellow bluff upon the beach and by a little creek running in breadth to a creek as it now runs: about ten or eleven yds in breadth at the widest place

1677 The town hath granted to Samuel Cole
a small parcel of land about an acre near the
adjoining to his other land that he had of his
father at the meeting and at year by the year

1677 The town hath chosen
to make a rate of 25 5 6
to defray publick Charge of the Court
and for the year of 1677
as affect a rate for Mr. Ewart of 25 00 00

Daniel Cole senior
Lisbeth Sparrow
John Doane and
Mark Snow

1677 at the same meeting the town hath granted to Daniel Doane
an addition of land adjoining to the end of his other
land where he now lives between the high way and
the Court

at the same meeting the town hath granted to
Jonathan Higgins a parcel of land containing about
fifty or one lying in a neck on yeoke on the Motherly
side of a Court which Court was by lieutenant
Higgins

1677 The town hath made choice of Deacon Ewing and Deacon Hemen
to take and keep a Case amount of Mr. Ewart's maintenance
given him by the town and to give the town an account con-
cerning it at the town meeting in May before your Court that
Mr. Ewart nor the town may not be wronged
at the same meeting the town hath chosen Deacon Ewing and
Deacon Hemen to take care about and beginning the house that Mr.
Ewart now lives in so far that it be sufficiently done and that the
overplus of Mr. Ewart's last rate shall go to pay for it and if that
be not enough the town to make it up in a rate

at the same meeting the town hath chosen lieutenant Sparrow and
Thomas Jones and John Doane and Mark Snow to make a rate
for Mr. Ewart's maintenance of 25 00 00
and likewise to take account of the old Constable John Doane

at the same meeting the town did vote it as their mind that
they were willing to build a new meeting house and to disburse part
of their estate to accomplish the same and that it should be
built by way of rate

at the same meeting the town agreed and ordered up a
place to set the meeting house upon; viz. above the head of
good man Williams's old field near where he now lives

February 28th
1677

The Towne hath made Choise of M^r Freeman and Licuten-
Sergeant and Thomas gaine and John Doane to act in the
Towne behalfe in reference to building a Meeting house

The Towne hath
sent to the persons
as the Towne hath
act in the behalfe
to build the meeting
house

At a Towne meeting the 28th of February: 1677

Whereas the Towne hath chosen M^r Freeman and Licuten-
Sergeant and Thomas gaine and John Doane junior to act in the
Towne behalfe to build a meeting house: Now the inhabitants of
the Towne of Eastham doe engage our selves to ~~be~~ bear all
necessary Charges arising in and about the said house according to
Contract and agreement made by the persons aforesaid both for time
and forever: They these persons doe firmly bind our selves our
heires executors and administrators duly to performe

at The same meeting the Towne hath granted to Joseph Snow
fifty six acres of upland lying on the farther side of the great
pond betwixt Thomas Bille and John Madsen land

at The same meeting the Towne hath granted to Thomas gaine
five or six acres of land about the middle pond above Daniel Coker

May the 22th
1678

The Towne have made Choise of Licut- Sergeant and
Thomas gaine to act in the Towne behalfe in demanding
and recovering a sum of mony for their use due unto
them from the Towne of Sandwich and upon default of
their non payment of the sum as above said which is 12
- 16^s and 6^d: as may appear by order from the Committee
chosen to ballance the accounts with the Countrey: Doe
propose the above said persons to assist and serve the said
Towne of Sandwich and to prosecute the matter to effect
and the Towne doe engage to the above said persons to stand
by them and to bear all necessary Charges and damage
that may accrue the same: and what they shall doe
or legally cause to be done in and about the same to rest
them selves satisfied in: and in case of failure the Towne Clerk
is to give the said persons chosen as above said a letter
of attorney in the Towne behalfe

May the 20th
1678

The Towne hath chosen for Deputies and Licut- Sergeant
for grand jurie men
for Constable
for Select men: Licut- Sergeant John Doane and Mark
for Servants of the high water William walker senior
and William Marvin junior

11) August 11th 1679

The town hath agreed that Lieutenant Sparrow, Daniel Down
C. and Steven Snow to give a piece of land for Thomas Gills
adjoining to his other land and if it be found not convenient
he is to have it by way of exchange for other land if there
or else to settle a bound mark for Benjamin Higgin
also it is ordered that Daniel Cole shall give a piece of
land for William Mayo about which his house stands and
lay ^{out} the quantity of an acre or two as they shall
X the Concordant

August 11th 1679

The town hath Chosen for ratmaking: Lieut. Sparrow
Thomas Gaine senior John Doane junior and Mark Snow
to make a rate for Court and Charge and Town Charge
viz: a sum of ————— 30-00-00

August 20th 1680

The town hath Chosen for ratmaking to make
a rate for Court and Charge and Town Charge
or likewise to make a rate for the Treasurers first
payment for this present year

Daniel Cole
John Doane
Ensigne Briggs
and Mark Snow

at the first
meeting

The town hath Chosen to look after
the Treasurers maintenance to see that it be duly
paid and to take notice of defaults and to give
account of these things to the town
yearly

Deacon Freeman
and Jacob Snow

for this present year and for long
as the town and they shall agree

February 14th 1680

The town hath Chosen to make a rate for
the Treasurers maintenance of ————— 30-00-00

Lieut. Sparrow
Daniel Cole junior
John Doane
and Mark Snow

Feb. 14: 1680

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The town hath Complaint been made of great abuse
and damage done to the town by the Indians making use
of the town's Common to gather pine knots and run far
or by cutting wood and timber thereon

The town hath ordered that no Indian or Indians shall
gather pine knots or run far or cut wood or timber on
the town's Common upon the forfeiture of all such pine
knots fur wood or timber as shall be gathered or cut
upon any of the town's Common or the value of the same
the one half to the town and the other half to the
person as shall be empowered by the town to look after
the same; by wood is to be understood all such wood as
shall be cut by any Indian or Indians for their own
use; and also this order doth comprehend all such pine
knots that are already gathered by any Indian or Indians
if found upon the town's Common after seven days be
expired from the date hereof: Feb. 14: 1680

Engage James Stinson at wood for William Walter for
Joseph Snow and John Mayo are ordered by the town to
look after the execution of this order about the Indians as
above; it also to forwarn the Indians from sitting
down their dwellings within any of our town's Common to
destroy the woods

Feb. 14: 1680

Stinson at wood for hath the grant of an acre of land at
Mullett Hills to make use of for seven years provided
he do not plant the same with Indian Corn to be laid
out by John Doane

Feb. 14: 1680

granted to Joseph Snow a small part of land at the
fourth end of his land to make his bounds straight to be
laid out by John Mayo and Joseph Harding

Feb. 14: 1680

granted to William Walter for half an acre of land at
Mullett Hills to lay upon for three years to be
laid out by John Doane

August 23^d
1681

The town hath Chosen for watermen: Cap: Sparrow
Daniel Cole John Doane and Mark Snow to make
the Country rate as also to make rate for
Mr. Treats first proportion for this present year
at the same meeting the town hath Chosen
Cap: Sparrow and Captain Sparrow to agree
with a workman to build a bell to hang
in to the Country rate to defray the charge
thereof

august 23
1681

The town hath voted and admitted M^r Birch a
~~inhabitant~~ amongst them

C.

X

at the same meeting the town hath Chosen William
Walker Sergeant Joseph Snow Daniel Doane and
Samuel Knowles and Benjamin Higon to judge of the
sufficiency of persons houses about Corn fields within
the township for this present year: and that all
such houses shal be made up sufficiently by the
first day in May annually on the penalty of paying
twenty shillings by every person that shal be
defective in the same to the town use: and by house
is to be understood outside houses about Corn fields

at the same meeting the town hath ordered Ensign Bangs Doctor
Ewinning John Bangs and George Crisp to set out
a small piece of land for John Sparrow adjoining
to his other land at York upon Sparrows Neck for
Conservators to set a house upon

at the same meeting the town hath granted to Joseph Collons
ten or twelve acres of land on the backside of
Sportable pond about the bridge to be laid out
by Doctor Hordman and John Doane

April the 12
1681

the town hath Chosen Cap: Sparrow and Mark
Snow rat makers to make a rate of 12 pence
for to by Coulters ^{and Drums} for the town and to repair
the towns stock of ammunition and arms

February 8th
1681

The town hath Chosen for the towns Council
to be joyned with Commission officers Thomas Spang
John Doane
and Mark Snow

at the same
meeting

The town hath Chosen to make a rate for M^r
Crawts fornt proportion for this year as likewise
to proportion of a sum of money of the towns whiche
is part of pay for mount horse the sd rat makers
viz: Cap: Sparrow Daniel Cole John Doane and
Mark Snow
as likewise to request M^r Hordman to att in the towns
behalfs to gett the money and to bring it down
where he goe up to march Court

February
8th 1681

John Doane
is chosen to
judge, in the
case of
Robert Wigram
Dyer

The Towne hath chosen Cap- Sparrow and Robert Wigram and Mark Snow to settle persons bound marks of their lands in the Towne where they cannot be found and the publick records of the Towne give not light where such bounds are or where bound marks are destroyed or the Common may be infringed upon by any person or violate the same, and to be satisfied for their paines by those persons in trespass in such lands where the bounds are settled or repaired, or by the Towne where the trespass is done upon the Common or High way. And the Towne hath requested in Officers help with the three men before mentioned as the Case may be more difficult.

at the same
meeting
Feb. 8th 1681

The Towne hath granted to Daniel Doane and Thomas Bille and Thomas Mayo and Mathaniel Mayo and Samuel Mayo the great dry Swamp on both lying on the North side of the high way, which goes to Cap- Sparrow provided they clear it soe that the bough be killed within five years after the date hereof.

Feb. 8th 1681

The Towne hath granted to Thomas Malford William Walker for Joseph Harding and Joseph Cooke the grassy Swamp lying on the sea side beyond Joseph Cooke provided they clear it within five years after the date hereof.

at the same
meeting

The Towne hath granted to Samuel paine ten or twelve acres of land near a fresh water pond that lies by the high way going from the head of the Towne Court to Potanumagitt to be laid out by Cap- Sparrow and Robert Wigram and Mark Snow provided it be judged not too much prejudicial to the neighbours who were desired to be there present when it was to be laid out.

at the same
meeting

The order about killing blackbirds and Crows bearing date March the 29th 1675: is established and to stand in force annually, soe long as the Towne shall judge meet and John Snow and Daniel Doane is put in in the room of those two persons ^{which are dead} to take an account of the head of any Crow or blackbird that may be by any house keeper of this Towne brought unto them.

March 27th
1682

An account of a rate of £2 - 2 - 0 made by the town
for the supplying and repairing the town stock of arms
and ammunition and to buy a drum and Colours as followeth

C. To four yards bought of Tho. Paine for 19th Aprill 03 - 16 - 00
To one gun flinting and Mending the locks 00 - 07 - 00
To a Drum 02 - 03 - 00
Delivered to Tho. Paine for to buy Colours 03 - 12 - 06
The Town hath admitted 09 - 18 - 06
Hares paper an inhabitant 12 - 02 - 00
Amongst them remains 02 - 03 - 06

March 27th
1682

The town have Chosen Cap. Freeman and Cap. Sparrow
and Robert Wigan and Mark Snow for Tho. Paine for
year forward with a mill at Rastagaganjett to cut in the
towns behalfs to purchase furniture and those of the Indians
as also to settle the bounds between the town and the Indians
there as also to draw writings between the town and the
Indians as also to draw agreement in reference about building
the first mill

August 21st
1682

The town have Chosen for rate making to
make the Country rate and other towns charge
arising for Deputies and grand jurymen and warden
for this present year

Lieutenant Sparrow
Ensigne Bangs
John Doane
and Mark Snow

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August 14th
1683

The Town have Chosen for Ratemakers to make
the Country rate and other towns charge for
Deputies and grand jurymen and five pounds for
Eleviux Bridge and two pounds from Freeman
which he disgavest for the townes use with the Indians
about land at Rastagaganjett as also to make a
rate for m^r Croat

Lieutenant Sparrow
Ensigne Bangs
Mark Snow
John Doane

40th 1683

C.

X

For the better Regulating of persons in reference to
 bringing their muirs when any rate is to be made that
 none may be wronged
 The town have ordered that when any rate is to be made
 the muirs given to the rate makers shall by them be
 kept and brought to the next town meeting then and there
 to be read and if it does appear that any person hath not
 given in a true muir by leaving out any part of his
 rateable estate shall pay for every beast for left out
 of his muir five shillings to the town use, and
 if any person liable to be rated when a rate is to
 be made shall refuse or neglect to bring in his
 muir to the rate makers ~~he shall~~ shall
 pay to the town use five shillings, and these fines
 when appearing at any time to be due shall be put
 into the next rate and by the Constable to be gathered
 for the town use except any person for leaving
 out any beast or not giving in his muir as aforesaid
 can give a satisfying reason thereof to the Town

May the 14th
 1689

The town hath chosen for Deputies Cap: Sparrow
 and Jonathan Sparrow
 for Constable William Brown
 for surveyors of the high way William Brown
 and William Walker

May the 21st
 1683

The town hath chosen for Deputies Cap: Sparrow
 and Jonathan Sparrow
 for Constable William Brown
 for surveyors of the high way Samuel Sparrow
 and Samuel Brown
 for Constable William Brown
 for surveyors of the high way Samuel Sparrow
 and Samuel Brown
 for Constable William Brown
 for surveyors of the high way Samuel Sparrow
 and Samuel Brown

C.

or ~~they~~ ~~shall~~ ~~run~~ at large upon the towns ~~from~~
 from the first of July to the last of octo
 upon the forfeiture of the one half of ~~the~~ ~~town~~
 to the person informing of any ~~man~~ ~~for~~ ~~running~~
 within the first fortnight of ~~the~~ ~~month~~

at the last meeting ~~The town have againe Chosen~~ ~~for~~ ~~man~~ ~~an~~
 rabe = Snow to take care that Mr Treats water
 for his & Sarahs maintenance be duly paid and to give
 a amount thereof to the towns in convenient time

at the last
meeting

It is agreed upon by the towns that the latter payment
 to Mr Treat by the towns which is the remainder of his
 proportion for the year past shall be paid according
 to the last rate and that Mr Treat did manifest in
 the towns meeting that upon consideration of ~~the~~ ~~persons~~
 crops by a providence ~~and~~ ~~for~~ ~~foiling~~ the last
 summer that for this present year he did not
 think would be would forgive a ~~the~~ ~~year~~ which
 was ten pounds: provided he had the other hundred
 pounds duly paid

May 1654

at a towns meeting the towns hath Chosen
 for the following year:
 for Deputies Capt: Sparrow and John Doane
 for Coler men Capt: Sparrow and Mark
 Snow and John Doane
 for Constables Israel Cole
 for grangurion man William Morrish junior
 for foreriers of the high waies: Samuel pains
 and Samuel Knowles

July 14 1654

the towns hath Chosen for rate makers
 to make the Countys rate and Mr Treats rate
 Capt: Sparrow Daniel Cole son: Tho: pains son:
 and John Doane

at the same

meeting the towns did order Capt: Sparrow
 and John Doane to proportion the money sent
 from the Court which was part of the year
 for mount hops which is the third year
 that hath ben sent to the towns from the
 Court

July the 14th 1654 The town have agreed to purchase the
land of Samuel Smith which he consented to
paying ~~him~~ the ten pound which he demanded
by equal proportion; and to be equal propri-
etors; in the said tract of land; and the town
chose ~~immediately~~ Capt. Sparrow and Daniel
Cole senior and Tho: Spaine senior to receive the
said Smith their consent, and to take possession
of the said land for the town

at the same meeting The town hath chosen for its minister Cap. Sparrow
Daniel Cole Tho: Spaine senior and John Spaine to
make the Court's writs for the said town
and Capt. Sparrow to be the only, sent
from the Court

May the 15th 1655 Cap. Jonathan Sparrow and John Spaine are chosen
Deputies for the following year
Benjamin Higgin is chosen Constable
Samuel Spaine is chosen granary man
John Spaine junior Thomas Spaine junior for ushers

at the same meeting The order made for killing blatt birds is to be
observed and the birds heads according to order of
town bearing date March. 29th 1655 to be brought
in to Mr. John Spaine senior and Daniel Cole senior and
Daniel Spaine at our before the last day of June next for
the year the time being for so long that it cannot
be done according to the time specified in the order above
and those that do not kill 12 birds by the time above
are fined five shillings to the town use to be paid
into the next rate: & gathered by the Constable

at the same meeting A small parcel of upland granted to Samuel Spaine
between the place where the meeting house was
and the burying place below the high way that goeth through
the town causing a convenient way to Samuel Smith
and Samuel Smith and Henry Atkins and William Walker
our chosen to bound it out
granted to Samuel Spaine the land that his barn stands upon
and for the same breadth on a straight line to John Snow his
four as it now stands

at the same
towne meeting
August 3^d
1685 The Towne hath Chosen for Rate Makers Capt. Sparrow
Daniel Coker for John Doane and Mark Snow to make
the Counties Rates and for Deputies and grandjurymen
and other Towne Charges; as also to make a rate for Mr
Cooks first pay ment for the following year

at the same
towne meeting
August 3^d
1685 The Towne have Chosen Eliza Jonathan Thang and Do-
ane Junr to look after Mr Cocks Rate for the following
year and to see it be duly paid; and to look after
those that are for ever delinquent and to gett that in alled

at the same
towne meeting
August 3^d
1685 It is agreed by the Towne that Mr Samuel Cocks
Cho. pane for Cap. Jonathan Sparrow John Mayo for
and Jabez Snow shall have full power to arbitrate
and determine any differences betwene those that are
Cocks Towne purchasers and the Towne; in reference to
right of disposing of lands within the Towne ship and
where those five men along with Jo. purchasers shall
determine and agree upon in reference to the above pro-
posed shall be binding and of as full power and force to all
their intents and purposes as if don by the whole Towne

about the 3^d of
November 1684 Some persons having heard that there was a whale fish afloat
a little beyond the head of Blackfish Creek on the back side
and that John Snow Josiah Coker and Steven Hopkins had cut
it up: & had not given the Towne notice according to Towne order
whereupon a Towne meeting was waied the 11th of November
1684; at which Towne meeting after long debate with the
John Snow Josiah Coker & Steven Hopkins they agreed that
that the Towne should have all the blubber and bones that they
had up and forward; and they declared in the Towne meeting the
quantity of blubber and bones that they had forward and where
it was it being in several places; and that they did then fur-
ther it all to the Towne if the Towne would above them reasonable
satisfaction for their pains; whereupon the Towne made choice of
Capt. Sparrow Jabez Snow and John Doane to agree with them
and to dispose of the above fish for the Townes use and pay
them for their labour out of it

at the same
meeting
The 1st Capt. Sparrow Jabez Snow and John Doane were
appointed by the Towne to agree with those that cut up a
piece of a whale fish at rock harbour; which they came on
shore; and to dispose of it for the Townes use

per John Doane who was
appointed by the Towne to take
notice of what they had agreed
upon at that meeting
November 5th 1684

The 23^d of June 1685
 The within named Capt: Sparrow and John Doane and John
 Snow gave the town the account Concerning the fish within
 specified; that they had taken possession of the beaver and of part
 of the beaver that belonged to the fish; and had sold it to
 the said Snow for five pounds with what more beaver the Snow
 could find out and recover that belonged to the fish; the said Snow
 paying all necessary Charge that should arise respecting the whole
 and that they, the said Sparrow, Doane and Snow, had paid the
 person that cut up the fish reasonable Satisfaction according
 to order of the town formerly made respecting that affair;
 These may therefore Certifie any to whom this present may
 come that was the townsmen of Eastham do ratifie and
 Confirm, ~~what~~ ^{and} what our said agents have done respecting the fish
 to all intents, purposes or if done in our own persons

signed in the town meeting
 the day above written by order
 of the town; for me John
 Doane Clerk for this present
 meeting

May the 12th
 1686

agreed by the town that they are willing that if any
 man in this town will pay an Indian that kills an
 old wolue and brings the head to the said parties and he
 pay him ten shillings in money for it the town is
 willing he shall have eleven shillings in the first
 payment of the next Countree Rate after any such
 is killed and the head in as aforesaid and an account
 thereof given in to the rate makers before any such
 rate is made and the Constable to turne the same
 into silver money as will pay the said eleven shillings
 and deliver it to the said parties aforesaid and he will
 according to proportion to doe the like for young
 wolues brought in and paid for as aforesaid that is to
 say two shillings and six pence for every young
 wolue

May the 12th
 1686

The town hath Chosen for Deputies for the following
 year Cap: Jonathan Sparrow and Mark Snow

September 1686 for grandjurymen Israel Cole and Tho: Paine junior

for Constable Edmund Freeman

for Select men Cap: Sparrow Mark Snow and John Doane

for Surveyors of the high wayes John Freeman junior and
 Tho: Paine junior

for owners of houses Joseph Snow and Samuel Knowles

Tho: Paine junior gather

another grand-
 jurymen John
 Brown

July the 29th 1636
The town hath Chosen for rate makers: Cap. Sparrow
Daniel Cole John Doane and Mark Sner

at the same meeting ordered by the town: that the order about Cutting fudge upon the Common be altered from the 16th of August to the 24th of August annually;

at the same meeting ordered by the town: that none shall Cut fudge upon the Common in the night; and that one man shall not employe above ~~two~~ or three in mowing at a time: and where any fudge is first mowed that Cutt all that is Capable to be Cutt or worth Cutting at that place together: before they remove to Cut in another place and he that fette in first to Cutt shall have liberty to load his Cart or vessel without being interrupted by any other; and any person transgressing in any of the afore sd. particulars: shall for every transgression pay a fine of five shillings to the Towne use.

at the same meeting The town hath Chosen William Walker son and Samuel Spaine to look after what is due to M^r Treas^r for his maintenance for time past and to gitt it in;

at the same meeting agreed upon by the town that M^r Treas^r bill for his yearly maintenance be made when the Countie rate is made and delivered in to the Constable with it: that if any persons refuse or neglect to pay their proportions: then the Constable to gitt it.

September the 12th 1636
Two of the former ~~for~~ rate makers are ordered to proportion the rate for the Countie upon by virtue of a warrant from the County Treasurers

at the same meeting Agreed upon by the town that any Englishman or any Indian that shall kill a grown wolfe within this townshipp and bring it in the head to the Constable or any other man of the town that may take notice that they have killed such wolfe within this townshipp: he or they for every such wolfe so killed as afore sd. shall have twenty shillings for shillings in money and ten shillings in Indian Corn at 1/2 upon Bushell to be paid by the Constable out of the next Countie rate that is made after such wolfe is so killed and brought in as afore sd. and for like wils proportionable for younge wolves that is to say

(five shillings for every young wolf killed and head brought in
as afore sd. the one halfe in money, and the other halfe in Indian Comod)
to be paid as afore sd, x

September 6: 1686 The Towne hath Chosen for Jurie men for
triall of actions at the County Court held in
X C. Barnstable on the thirt fudday in October next
viz: John Doane William Dabbs Benjamin Higney

at the same
meeting The Towne hath Chosen for Jurie men for
triall of actions at the County Court held at
Barnstable on the ~~thirt~~ fudday of April next
viz: Daniel Doane Jacob Snow John Freeman

at a Towne
meeting held
the 26 of Nov-
ember 1686 The Towne have ordered and approved the
Select men of the Towne to look after all
Towne privileges and to protect legally to
assist with any person or persons that doe or
shall intrude on the same; and to endeavour
shall due means and Counsel to prosecute and
defend the same due and privileges thereof
from intrusion and interruption by any person
or persons whatsoever and whatsoever our
Select men shall legally see or cause to be
done in our name and shall report the
premises; we the sd Towne of Eastham: Doe and
shall from time to time and at all times ratify
and confirm to all intents and purposes as fully
and amply; as if done by our selves

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February 14: 1686 The Towne hath Chosen John Doane in the room of
Robert Wigen deceased: to set bound marks of lands
where wanting and to repair bound marks where damaged
and other the promises according to Towne order bearing date February 10: 1681

May 12th: 1687 The warrant of a warrant from the Clerk of his Majesty's
County Court of Sessions and Common pleas to be holden in
Barnstable the first weekday in June next

The Towne hath Chosen for grand Jurymen; John Rogers
Joshua Bangs
as John Hopton
for the jury of trials Daniel Doane Jacob Snow John Freeman
for Select men Thomas Davis senior John Doane Jacob Snow
for Constable Samuel Knowles
for Jurors Jergent Jacob Snow and Jergent William Smith

at the same
meeting

C.

The town hath chosen to beire taxes; for pothe for fare
as the head of the town Cou; Daniel Doane sen an Afford
Coke; for futeball aid for far as ad enfigt meritts enfigt
bange and Steven Hopkin; from enfigt meritts the rest of the
towne towards billingsgate Joseph Snow and Samuel fraerman
junior

June the
4th 1688

The Towne hath chosen these officers for the
following year: by, vertue of a warrant from Capt-
Sparrow Justice of the peace viz

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for Constable John Rogers
for Selectt men Tho: paine senior: John Doane sen
Mark Snow Benjamin Higgins and Jabez Snow
for Comissioner Ensigne Jonathan Bange
for forwiers for the high wayes Sargent William
Merritt and Samuel fraerman junior

at the same
meeting

agreed upon by, the towne that the Selectt men shall
make M^r Crocks rate for the following year
Jeremiah Smith is chosen to be poore keeper

at the same
meeting

May 28th
1689

The Towne hath chosen for their ^{Deputies} ~~agents~~ Cap-
Sparrow and Mark Snow

for Selectt men Ensigne Jonathan Bange John Doane
senior and Mark Snow
for Constable Thomas Smith

August 16th 1689

The towne hath chosen by vertue of a
warrant from the governor: Deputies for
the remainder of this present year

John Doane sen
and Mark Snow

August 20th
1689

The towne have chosen for granjurie men
Thomas paine senior Daniel Doane senior and
Benjamin Higgins for the remainder of this
present year

at the same
meeting

The Towne have chosen three men to the
Comission officers for a towne Council: viz:
John Doane sen Mark Snow and Jabez Snow

at the same
meeting

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ordered by
the Towne
August 26.

1659

X

at the same
meeting

at the same
meeting

at the same
meeting

December
23: 1689

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at the same
meeting

at the same
meeting

March 31
1690

May the 12
1690

The Towne have Chosen to look after and get
in what is behind of M^r Treats support for the
year past, Samuel Smith and Benjamin Higgin.

That whereas the Militarie Company of this Towne
have Chosen Capt: Jonathan Sparrow for their
Captaine and Sergeant Joseph Snow for their Lieuten-
ant and Ensigne Jonathan Bangs for their Ensigne;
At this Towne meeting the Towne have agreed
their Contrivance with and liking of M^r Choise and
doe desire they may be established into their
several places according to Law

The Towne have Chosen to make a rate for
M^r Treats support for this present year: viz
M^r Crofts, John Doane Senior and M^r Maate paper
or any two of them

ordered that the pound keeper for the present
until the Court or Towne shall otherwise order it
shall have the fees allowed in the first printed Book
of Laws for this Colony

The Towne hath Chosen the old Jurors viz
Sergeant William Meritt and Samuel Freeman
Junior to stand for the remainder of this
present year

The Towne have Chosen to make a rate
of 46 pounds to defray Charges arising
about the present war, against the Indian
enemy; as also to make a rate arising in
County, and other Charges arising in the Towne
for repairing and sweeping the meeting house
John Doane Mark Snow, Cho: pome jr and Cho: Mayo
granted to Joseph Doane five or six
acres of land upon ponds near Samuel
Mayes betwixt the high ways

The Towne have Chosen Jury Men for trial of
actions Thomas pame Junior, Samuel Freeman Junior
and John Sparrow

The Towne have Chosen for Deputies for
the following year Captaine Sparrow and
Thomas pame Junior

for Robert more Thomas pa^{re} senior John
Doane senior Jabez Snow Benjamin Higgin and
C. Mark Snow

for grantury men William Walker senior Samuel
paine and Samuel Freeman junior

for Constable Samuel Thronne

for foremen of the high wayes John Mayo senior
and Thomas Freeman

other for the
15th 1690

The Towne hath Chosen for Jurymen for
trial of actions John Freeman junior John
Mayo senior and Benjamin Higgin
for to Make M^r Create Rate John Doane
Thomas paine junior Thomas Mayo and
Mark Snow

Decem: 22th
1690

The Towne hath Chosen for Rate makers to
Make a rate for Charges arising about the
present war the sum of a ~~187~~ 19-0

January 3rd
1690

Abraham Bonith is accepted as an Inhabitant
of this Towne

February 23rd
1690

at a Towne Meeting in pursuance of a Declaration
which Came from the general Court by our
Deputy, The Towne have voted it as their
unanimous Minde that there should be a New
patent obtained from their Majesties if it may
be likewise the Towne has voted it as their minde
that there should be a release procured of M^r
Thwaitford for the Towne

likewise it is voted by the Towne that they are
willing to disburse money to obtaine a patent from
England; And a release from M^r Thwaitford and
that it shal be raised by a rate

at the fund
meeting
February 23rd
1690

It is agreed upon by the Towne that if Major
Freeman will disburse for Much money as will
procure a release of M^r Thwaitford for the Towne
then, do engage that he shal have his money
repayed unto him againe as speedily as in
Convenience, it may be by a rate

March: 10th
1690

C.

It is agreed upon and determined by the
Towne that no person or persons shall cut
any wood or timber upon any of the townes
Commons that is not granted to any person or
persons; Soe as to Convey, or transport it out
of the Towne on the penalty of the forfeiture
of all such wood or timber for Cut as aforesaid
and ten shillings for any timber or Cord of
wood or quantity of a Cord of wood that shall
be transported or caused to be transported
out of this Township by any person or persons
as above; The one halfe to the Informer and
the other halfe to those persons Chosen to look
after these persons or person that shall cut
or transport any wood or timber as above
Lieutenant Joseph Snow and Thomas Smith are
Chosen by the Towne to look after the
transgression of this above said order

March: 10th
1690

Whereas Major John Freeman hath
already disbursed ten pounds of Money to
Mr. Bradford for a Coalage for the Towne
and that Towne standing in need of money
for pounds more to send for England to
get a Charter or patent for the Colonie
Upon the 10th Freeman agreeing to pay
the 10th money for the Towne; the Towne
doth order for his security to Chuse some
persons in the behalfe of the Towne to Make
a Mortgage of two lands unto the 10th Freeman
viz: one land at Little Willinggate called
the great land; and one land at Little Willinggate
called Lieutenant land; to returne the 10th
Freeman six months againe before the date
hereof and the first day of June next
March the: 10th 1690

Capt. Jonathan Sparrow and Mart Snow
are appointed by the Towne to Make this
Mortgage to Mr. Freeman as above

april. 12 1691

The Towne hath Chosen for grand jury men John
Mayo senior: John Freeman junior and Thomas Mayo
for petty jury men Joshua Wangs John Yarns and
Samuel Knowles
for Constable for the following year Thomas Yarns
junior

april 12
1691

C.

Ordered by the Towne that the order made about
killing of Blarbirds shall be observed and the heads
brought in to Major Freeman and Daniel Cole Jr and
Daniel Doane sen: for this year. betwixt the date
herof and the last day of June next; upon the
forfeiture of five shillings for every delinquent to
be put into the next rate and gathered by the
Constable for the Townes use

april 12
1691

The Towne have Chosen for rate makers to
make a rate of 36 pounds which was lent to
the Towne by Major John Freeman: viz: 25 p^{ts}
of which sum was to send to England to procure
a patent and a 11 pounds for to pay for a lease
procured of M^r Bradford: viz: John Doane Jr

Mark Snow
Thomas Spaine Jr
James Spaine

May the
20th 1691

The Towne hath Chosen for Deputies for the
following year: Captaine Sparrow and Thomas
Spaine Junior;

at the same
meeting

for Blarbirds men Ensigne Banges liest: Snow
Daniel Doane sen: John Doane sen: and Israel Cole
ordered and agreed upon by the Towne that there
shall be ten pounds due to M^r Crook yearly, falling
in love of the wood that was formerly engaged to
him and to be paid annually in the same proportion
that his first payment is made in

at the same
meeting

William Walter Junior and Thomas Smith are
Chosen and Deputed by the Towne to look after
M^r Crooks falling for this following year and to
take such due and effectual Course about it: that
it may be faithfully paid to him that for the
Towne nor he may not be wronged

at the same
meeting

The Towne have granted liberty to a certain
Indian in the behalfe of himselfe and the other of
the Indians at Potanumagist to set up a meeting
house on the Townes ground near the head of
Potanumagist salt water pond for the Indians to
meet in on the Lords day and other public meeting days

Soe longe as they shall uphold and improve it for that good
and Commendable use as aforesaid and if they, doe neglect or desist
from the improving of it for that end and use as aforesaid they
shal no longer have the liberty, as aforesaid; but it shal returne
to and remaine the Towne as before
Daniel Doane sen. and Thomas Mayo and John Spaine are appointed
to sett out a piece of land to sett the house upon for the
Indians at the place aforesaid where it may be most convenient
and least prejudiciall to the Towne or the high way

at the same ordered by the Towne that if the money which was
metting; sent to god for England to procure a patent for the
Colony, be returned againe to the Towne it shal be
divided proportionably, to every person according
as others, one payed to the rate that was made to
raise the money

at the same The Towne have Chose for ~~for~~ firmans for
metting the high way for the following year ~~John~~
Hopkins and Ephraim Doane

May 28. 1691 The men appointed as aforesaid have sett out a
piece of land for the Indians to sett a Metting
house upon lying on the western side of the Cart
road, that goes to Potanomaguit under the head of the
salt water pond. bounded: viz: at the Eastern Corner
on the Northern end by a pine tree marked from thence
westerly, about five rods to another pine tree marked
from thence southerly, about five rods to a white oak
tree marked from thence easterly, about five rods to
a red oak tree marked and so to the first bound
mark specified as aforesaid

October the 7th 1691 The Towne have Chosen for jury men for trials of actions
at the County Court: Samuel Mayo, John Spaine
and Nathaniel Freeman

at the same John Doane sen. is ordered and appointed to sett a piece
metting of stock, and a whipping post marked for the Towne use

at the same The Towne have agreed and voted as their unanimous
metting Consent to make up to Mr. Towne what the quakers are
in kind of repaying their contributions of 15 years by
fallow, and that it shal be put into the bill now to
be presented for the Towne for Mr. Towne sup out

at the same The Towne have Chosen for rate makers to make
metting the Towne rate for this year: John Doane sen.
Mark Snow Thomas Mayo and Samuel Freeman Junr

This forane law made Choise of Capt. Edwards and John Adams senior in the behalf of the forane the first a bound master with the partnership between the forane and the partnership of bound brook which is gone by, London of the first that acting in upon the law and the forane to so satisfy them upon their own consent, Capt. Edwards the first was John Adams senior in the first time.

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The towns have chosen four Constables
for the following year: Samuel Adams
for Sovereigns of the Highways
Jesse Hopkins and Ephraim Doane

for Select men Mark Snow Thomas Mayo
Samuel Knowles Samuel Freeman junior and
John Spaine

July 29^C 1692 The Towne hath Chosen for Commissioners &
be joined with the Select men for raising
assessments; Captaine Jonathan Sparrow

at the same meeting The Towne hath Chosen to make a levee
for Mr. Crooks support for this present year
1692

October 3^C 1692 The Towne hath Chosen for Jurymen for trials of
actions John Doane senior
Mark Snow
Thomas Spaine jun
and Thomas Mayo
John Doane sen
Thomas Smith
and Edmund Freeman

March 13 1692³ The Towne hath Chosen for Towne Clerk
Mark Snow

X for grand Jurymen John Rogers Nathaniel Mayo
and Thomas Mulford junior

for the petty Jurymen John Doane sen Samuel Knowles
and John Sparrow

for forewarder of the high waye Ensigne Bangs
and William Walter senior

for Constable John Doane sen and John Spaine

for Commissioners for the town Capt. Sparrow

for Select men Mark Snow forgerd Mill M^r Smith
Tho: Spaine Jun: Israel Cole and Samuel Knowles

for fourt^h ward at ports Daniel Doane sen and John
for fatut^h and M^r Ambrose Ensigne Bangs
and Thomas Freeman

for the Northons part of the Towne Lieut Snow
and Thomas Mulford senior

at the same meeting M^r John Mayo: William Walter senior and Sam^l Spaine
were ordered to bein a piece of land at billingsgate
for the relief of Jabez Snow and to bring an account
therof to the town at the next town meeting & to
to bein a small piece of marsh at billingsgate for the
Mulford Jun:

at the same Capt. Sparrow and Edmond Hradman and Robert Young
making orders ordered to John and left out to Richard Higgins a
little piece of land at portlet adjoining to his other land
C. Containing about an acre and a half or two acres

5th 1693 Pursuant to a warrant from the Sheriff for to
the following person or persons to represent themselves
at the great and general Court or assembly held at
Boston for the province for this Mayors Court on
the 31st of this instant The Court have chosen

at the same meeting The Court have ordered how the money shall be
X 2 divided which is in the folowt manner which is the
effort of a whale that came ashore in the town
bounds in the year 1692

first that for much of the money which is the produce of said
whales as was raised to procure Mr. Bradfords
wages for the Court be first taken out and paid
to the several persons that paid in that rate amounting
to every persons proportion as was paid in that rate
and the remainder of the said money to be divided to every

Courtman a like proportion and to every allowed inhabitant that
bears Towne Charges: halfe as much as a townsmen
and Saml. Knolly and Thomas Spaine junr and Thomas Mayo
and Mark Snow are ordered by the Court to divide the
money as above said and to take an account of the efforts of
whales and the Charges arising about the same

at the same meeting The Court have grant ed to John Cole junior of the
Common land lying between land that was formerly granted
by the Court to Mark Snow lying at a place Commonly
called the stage neck at portlet and a parcel of land
which was formerly granted by the Court to Joseph
Fogans junior lying upon the Eastern side of portlet
over against flats bulki. All this above said piece of
Common land lying between these two parcels of land as
above said more or less bounded west to the water side by
the bank and to run upwards from the bank side
to Timothy Cole bounds being two rods or stones
marked by which are bound marks of a little division
of land Timothy Cole had granted unto him by the
Court and left out to him by these bounds adjoining
to his other land that was Mark Snows; This above
said piece of Common land was a long specified granted to
John Cole junior to him and his heirs lawfull
heirson of his own body to have and to hold
for ever

May the fifth 1693

May the 5th
1693
C.

at the same
meeting

at the same
meeting

X

June the 19th
1693

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September the
5th 1693

at the same
meeting

at the same
meeting

granted to Joseph Young a small portion of
land for Condemning to sell a house on and for water
and a plot for a yard. ~~where the~~ Now lies at
point between his other land and the Court not to
diminish the high way to be sold out to him by
Captain Sparrow and William Twining son
granted to Joseph Snow Junior a parcel of
land about 16 acres between his father Joseph
Snow and others papers about the goods to
be sold out to him by William Walker son and others
papers and Joseph Collins

granted to Samuel Knowles liberty to exchange
a little piece of ground viz that the sd Knowles
is to lay down sum out of the land that was John
Knowles at that end next to Samuel Knowles to enlarge
the high way that is between Samuel Knowles and that
and to have allowance for it at the other end of
that which was John Knowles to be sold out by
those men the town hath appointed to certify and
repair bound marks in the town where this is not
and adage made to them: viz. Captain Sparrow
Thomas Yame Junior is chosen by the John Doane son
Select men and Constables to be and Martin Snow
Sealer of weights and Measures and Major Freeman in case
for the town

The Town have Chosen for jury men for
trial of actions at the quarter Court of Sessions
for the County of Barnstable held on the first
Tuesday in July: 1693: Ensign Jonathan Thayer
Josiah Cook son: and Thomas Mulford son.

The Town have Chosen for to make the next
rate for this present year 97: Mark Snow
Tho: Yame Jun: Capt: Samuel Freeman and
Tho: Mayr:

Pursuant to a warrant from the Sheriff by his
Excellency's Command The Town have Chosen
John Doane son: to serve and represent them at
a great and general assembly appointed to be
kept and held at Chilton the 27th of this instant
September: 1693

It is agreed that there shall be twenty shillings put into
the next rate which was due to him from all
browns he is owing to have the rest which was due
from all browns upon any former rate unpaid
to him

September
the 25/1693

O.

The Towne have Chosen for petty Jurymen for
the trial of actions at the next sessions to be holden
for the County of Barnstable at Barnstable on the first
tuesday in October 1693/4 William Walker Sen.
Samuel Smith
and John Freeman

at the same
meeting

agreed upon that there shall be a rate made of
fifteen pounds besides the money which is in the Select
mens hands which is 6th 5th 0th to defray towns charges
viz to repair the Towns stock of ammunition and to pay
John Dore 6th 18th 0th which is due to him for
representing the town at a great and general
assembly at Kingston the 31th of May 1693 and the
disbursement thereof and to supply the town with
weights and measures according to law and other necessary
towns charges

at the same
meeting

agreed upon that there shall be sum of money made to
the above sum agreed upon to repair the meeting
house

agreed upon
at the same
meeting

That the balmeafity oyle shall be divided after the
same manner that the money was which came of the whale
that was divided to the Towns viz a pint to a
Townsman and halfe a pint to an allowed inhabitant

October the
12th 1693

The Towne have Chosen John Dore Junior to be
their representative to represent them at a great
and general assembly to be hold at Kingston the
8th day of November 1693

Sept. 25
1693

agreed upon by the Towne that there be Care
taken to provide a fittable man to be a
freedmaster in this town to teach young persons
to read and write English and to Cast account
agreed upon likewise that Mr Treat in the Townes
behalf to endeavour to get a man for that end
at the Townes Charge

February
the 14th 1693

granted to Captaine Sparrow a small addition of
land adjoining to his other land that is fenced in
about his house on the westerly side of a field that
is also fenced in about halfe an acre
granted to Daniel Cole Junr a little bit of land
near his now dwelling house to set a barne upon

at the same
meeting

february 14th
1694

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X

Agreed upon betwixt the Towne and the Towne
Towne purveyors: That whereas there is difference
betwixt them in reference to title and ad. & disposing of
Common lands in the Towne ship; It is agreed upon betwixt
betwixt them to put the deciding of that matter
to referent to five men that is to say to three of
the Towne and three of those called Towne purveyors
and if they cannot agree to settle the matter to a
full and final issue then those five men chosen as
aforesaid are to choose three indifferent men not
partissh or concerned on either side and what those
three men shall determine shall be of force and value
for a final issue and settlement of that difference on
both sides for the future.

by the Towne
five men that
God in reference
to the above
purveyors

The men chosen for the Towne are Capt. Jonathan Sparrow
Samuel Knowles and Tho: paine Junr.

The men chosen for those called Towne purveyors are
Major John Freeman Ensigne Jonathan Thayer and
Mark Snow: and the rest of those called Towne purveyors
shall do likewise to stand to what
these five men shall determine in reference to the premises.

March 26th
1694

The Towne have chosen for grandjurymen for
the following year William Walter Junr: Daniel Cole
Junr. and Jonathan Higginson Junr.

For petty jury for trial of actions Capt:
Samel Freeman. Sergeant William Morris and Joseph
Collins.

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For Collectors men Capt: Samuel Freeman. Thomas
paine Junr: Daniel Doane Junr: Israel Cole
and Ensigne Jonathan Thayer

For Constable Thomas Mayo:

For Surveyors of the high waye Samuel Smith
and Thomas Freeman

For Towne vicars. Lieut. Joseph Snow Samuel
Knowles Samuel paine and Samuel Mayo Junr:

For Towne Clerk Mark Snow:

June 21st 1694

The Towne have chosen Edmond Freeman Mathias
Mayo and Joseph Doane Junr men for trial of
actions for the following Court

July 31st
1694

C.

The Town hath Chosen officers by virtue of a warrant from the Treasurers: to make a rate upon poles and Estate for this Towne Thomas paine Capt. Freeman Mark Snow John Doane and John paine: and they are sworn by Captaine Sparrow Justice of the Peace agt the first

1694

Sept. 26th
1694

The Town hath Chosen for Jurors of Common Law for the following Court Israel Cole Thomas paine and Samuel Freeman Junior

at the same meeting

The Town hath Chosen for ratmakers to make a rate for m^{re} coats falling for this present year: and to make a rate of 2^d pounds to quiet m^{re} lathrope demands to the Towne John Doane Senior Thomas paine Samuel Freeman Junior and Mark Snow

October 8th
1694

Pursuant to a warrant from the house of representatives for the Towne to Chose a man to represent them at the great and general assembly holden at Boston the 16th of this instant October: John Doane Senior is accordingly Chosen to represent the Towne at sd. Court or assembly

at a Town meeting
March 15th

1694:5

The Towne have Chosen for grand Jurymen for the following year: John Sparrow and Joseph Doane for Pettie Jurymen for the following Court Capt. Freeman and John paine

for Constable Joshua Bangs

for Towne Clerk Tho: Paine

for Selectmen Daniel Doane Senior: Capt. Freeman Edmund Freeman Tho: Mayr and Tho: Paine

for sitting men William Walker Senior and Tho: Smith

for Towne Treasurer John paine

for Surveyors Sam^l Smith and Sam^l Knowles

for fence viewers Deacon Freeman John Doane and John Rogers and Israel Cole

for men to have a negative vote in disposing of lands Capt. Sparrow Livet. Snow Daniel Doane Tho: Mayr

for men to settle the bounds of lands John Doane Capt. Freeman and Tho: Paine

for men to goe to Little Billingsgate with the men called Towne Purchasers to lay out their eight acre lots there Samuel Knowles and Tho: Paine

at a Towne meeting march: 15: 1694: s. Thomas muldrow
man his address to the Towne: in reference to his
of a plot at Little Billings gate past where it is taken off by
the line between the Towne and parmit parcellers and
the Towne have. appointed Samuel Brown and Tho: Saine
to view it and to lay out so much time to him in another
place or adjoining to that as is wanting to this lot

at the same meeting The Towne ordered the selectmen to make an act
for the Towne to prohibit the cutting and transporting of
any wood or timber out of the Towne ship:

at the same meeting The Towne agreed with the Towne Treasurer that he should
have for his wages: twelve pence upon the pound for receiving
and paying out such money as should be delivered to him by the
selectmen or other ways with out trouble and for what
money he shall take pains or trouble in gathering and receiving
he shall have twelve pence upon the pound for receiving and
twelve pence upon the pound for paying out

may: 22nd 1695
pervant to a warrant from the Sheriff to George Amory
to represent them at a great and generall Court or assembly
to be held and kept at the Towne House in Boston upon
wednesday the 29 of this instant may:
the Towne have made choice of Tho: Smith to Repre
sent them: at the Court or assembly above

At the same meeting The Towne agreed that there should be a Town
Rate made to pay their Representative for his serving
them at the last general assembly and to pay the jurymen
and for sweeping the meeting house and for
other necessary charges of the Towne

At a Town meeting June: 24: 95
The Towne have Chosen Saml Brown and
Constant Freeman to serve for petty Jurymen for
the following Court

at the same meeting The Towne granted liberty to Saml Brown to exche
his five acres of a plot that lyeth on the south side
of the Towne Cone: for five acres of a plot bee
twixt the wayes to the westward of his borne

at the same meeting Sir Sunderlan. Jeremiah Smith and Naziah
Harding were accepted of by the Towne as Towns
men

at a Town meeting July: 29: 1695
Pervant to a warrant from the Treasurer
the Towne hath Chosen Cpt Sparrow for
a Comissioner

at the same meeting it was granted by the Towne that Samuel
Brown should have five acres of a plot at
great Shokit between the way that goes from
Major Freemans to Shokit and the meadow in low
of the five acres which was granted to go down
by way of Exochang last Townmeeting day
and that if the five men which are to have a
negative vote see cause to let him have it
to settle the bounds of it. only it is known is
not to build any dwelling house upon said land
nor his heirs after him for ever.

At a Towne meeting held the 29th of November 1686.

The Towne of Eastham have ordered and Impowered the Select men of the Towne annually Chosen to look after all Towne priviledges and to proceede legally to effect with a ny. person or persons that doe or shall in time on the same and to Endeavour by all due means and Courses to preserve and defend the rites dues and priviledges thereof from Intrusion and Interruption by any person or persons what so ever. and whatsoever our sd. Select men shall legally doe or cause to be done in our name and steed respecting the premises we the sd. Towne of Eastham Doe and shall from time to time and at all times ratifie and Confirm to all intents and purposes as fully and amply as it done by our selves.

per mark Snow Clerk

Confirmed againe by the Towne

June 21: 1694.

Jonathan Bangs } Select
Daniel Doane } men
Samuell Freeman }
Tho: Paine June

July 21: 1694.

ordered by the Towne of Eastham that there shall be no sheep ram be allowed to goe upon any of the Towne Commons from the last of July: untill the last of October annually on the penalty that any man of the Towne shall have liberty to take up such sheep ram from upon the Towne Commons as aforesaid and sell him for so much money as he can get for such ram and deliver it to the Select men of the Towne for the use and support of the poore of the Towne and in case of any mans taking up any sheep ram as aforesaid and cannot sell him he may take two Indifferent men to prize any such ram and so much as the sd. two men shall prize any such sheep ram worth the person that took him up shall have power to kill sd. ram for him self and deliver the money he is prized at to the Select men of the Towne as aforesaid for the support of the poore of the Towne

Eastham: June 21: 1694

per mark Snow Clerk

These above written by laws or orders of the Towne of Eastham was approved and allowed by the Court of sessions holden at Barnstable July: the third 1694.

as Attest Joseph Lothrop Clerk

Jonathan Bangs } Select
Samuell Freeman } men
Daniel Doane }
Tho: Paine June

These above written orders or by laws of the Towne of Eastham with the Courts allowance of them were truly Recorded
July 16: 1695

per Tho: Paine Towne Clerk

The Select men of the Towne of Eastham taking into serious consideration the great Damage which doth accrue to the Towne by reason of persons Cutting of Cordwood and Timber upon the Commons and transporting of it out of the Township (Having had Instructions from the Towne Doe Order and enact That from and after the tenth day of April next ensuing after the Day of the Date hereof NO person, or persons, whatsoever shall Cut any wood or Timber what soever upon any of the Commons or undivided lands within the Township of Eastham, other than what shall be Improved with in the same, on pain of forfeiting the Sum of twenty Shilling. for every such offence upon Due Conviction thereof: one half thereof to him or them that shall Informe and sue for the same. and the other half to the use of the poore of the Towne

March: 27: 1695

At y^e Court of Sessions held at Barnstable April y^e 2: 1695 this order above written was allowed and approved of by sd Court.

attest Joseph Lotthrop Clerk

July: 16: 1695 the above written order was truly recorded with y^e Courts allowance by me Tho: Paine Towne Clerk

Daniel Doane
Saml Freeman
Tho: May
Commons
Tho: Paine
Select men

at a Town meeting May: 8: 1699: the Town Implored Josiah Cook Senr: and Tho: Paine Junr: to look after the prosecution of the above said act

at the same meeting the Town desired the selectmen to be vigorous in prosecuting the law against all persons that do or shall intrude on the Towns Commons

at the same meeting the Town voted that if Mr John Doane would fence from the Bay at Nissett to the corner of the Cliff at the northern end of the vally commonly called the farther plume vally: and maintain the same sufficient to keep horses and great cattle off from y^e beach: for the space of one and twenty years: that he or they should have: for their own use and Improvement all the upland contained within said fence: During said term provided he or they shall not pasture any horses or neat cattle on the same: Capt Saml Freeman and Thomas Paine Junr were Implored by the Town: as their agents in the Towns be half to confirm this agreement wth Mr Doane:

A list of the name of those persons that have taken the oath of
fidelity in this town

C.

Mr Crosby
Thomas Mullett jun

Joseph Snow

Jabez Snow

Daniel Smith

~~Samuel~~

Samuel Paine

Thomas Paine junior

Thomas Still

George Brown

William Freeman

Samuel Freeman junior

Samuel Mayo junior

James Mayo

William Waller junior

Moore Atkins

Steven Twining

Israel Cobb

Litus Wixam

Mr Harris paper

John Paine

Samuel Wixam

~~Samuel Wixam~~

Joseph Young

Thomas Smith

Nicholas Snow

Jonathan Higgins junior

Joshua Hopkins

Edward Long

Nathaniel Mayo junior

Jabez Waller

Samuel Smith junior

Joseph Smith

Samuel Brown

Edward Atwood

Merad Atwood

William Parker

Abraham Towner

Nicholas Paine

Jabez Snow

Thomas Cobb

Joseph Atkins

Thomas Atkins

Nathaniel Freeman

David Young

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at a town meeting July: 29th: 1695

C.

The town granted to Thomas Smith the land lying in the Cove below his land on the southerly side of the Cove with liberty for sd Smith to fence his land into the water as the fence now stands upon condition that sd Smith shall leave out at the southwest corner of his land which he had of his brother Samuel Smith a peice of land setting his fence one rod below the old Cartway in case

At the same meeting the negative voters shall allow of it:

meeting granted to Ensign Joshua Baggis liberty to fence his land into the water below the place where his fathers house formerly stood and at the corner next to Tho: Paines land provided the negative men doe allow of it

Meeting granted to John Sparrow liberty to fence his land at the Easterly End of Sparrows neck into the water if the negative men shall allow of it

at the same meeting granted to Richard Cook three acres of upland to set a house upon adjoining to his fathers ten acres of upland at Churches meadow if the negative men shall allow of it.

at the same meeting granted to John Brown fourteen or 15 acres of upland on the westerly side of the Cartway between half way pond and Churches Brook provided it be not prejudicial to the neighbor hood and the men that are to have a negative vote in such cases doe allow of it:

at a town meeting June: 22: 96: The town made choice of Thomas Cole and Joshua Glopkins for Petty Jurymen for the following Court

at a town meeting Octo: 22: 96: 1696 voted that there should be a rate made of fifteen pounds together with my treats rate for the defraying of town Charges viz: for a widow Cole 10-00-00 for sweeping the meeting house 01-04-00 and for Tho: Paine for serving at general 03-00-00

82
Albigall I once had one brown bay mare a while fast
the inside of the right foot behind white and split on
the top of the right ear and split behind the left ear
and burn mark with E on the rear cuticle

More one mare sold three white feet a white face one
wake eye the left eye two splits on the fore side of the
left ear and burn mark with E on the right shoulder

More one bay mare flanne in the forehead two splits on the
near ear and burn mark with E on the far shoulder

More one horse sold a flanne in the forehead August 17 1669
two splits on the near ear burn mark with E on the
far shoulder August 17 1669

More a dark bay horse sold a clip of white down the nose 4
white legs 2 splits on the near ear burn mark E
on the far shoulder August 17 1669

More one horse sold a bay & roller a small white
fringe upon the nose bare marten two splits
in the fore side of the near ear burn mark
upon the near shoulder January 17 1670

D

1691 E. horse brown nose v. 10

at a town meeting
Sept: 26: 95.

The town made choice of Mr John Doane
and Tho: Paine June to serve at the following time

at a town meeting
for choice of town
officers: march: 9: 169-6

The town made choice of Thomas Paine
for town clerk for the following yeare
C. for Constable Daniel Cole June

for Grand Jurymen: Mr Sam^l Smith
and John Young

X for Selectmen Mr John Doane

Daniel Doane
Capt Sam^l Freeman

Tho: Mayo
and Tho: Paine June

for sitting men Capt Samuel Freeman
and Tho: Mayo:

for town Treasurer John Paine

for men to have negative vote Indisposing
of lands: Capt Sparrow:
Mr John Doane
Daniel Doane
Tho: Mayo:
and Tho: Paine June

for men to settle bounds of lands
Capt Sparrow
Mr John Doane
Daniel Doane
and Tho: Paine June

for Surveys of the Highways

Jabez Snow and Nathaniel Mayo sent

for fence weirs Deacon Freeman
Tho: Mulford June: John Rogers
and Israel Cole

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for Pettie Jurymen for the following Court
Elizha: Paine and Tho: Mulford June

for Pound keeper Jeremiah Smith

at the same
meeting

The town agreed that the town treasurer should
have the same wages as was agreed upon the last year

at the same
meeting

The town agreed that the men appointed to settle
bounds should rectify the highway that goes through
the land that was formerly granted to Jobe Cole at
poeket and as so much land to go lot in some other
place as the highway takes out.

at a town meeting held at Eastham march 9th 1695: 6
the town agreed and voted that the order made about
C. killing and destroying of Crows and black-birds bearing date
march 29: 1675 should be againe renewed and stand in full
force and vertue: annually: with these additions and alterations viz
first that every young man that is for himself
or cause to be killed six blackbirds or Crows equivalent
secondly that the way of recovering the fine for breach of 3^d order
shall be as the ~~lawes~~ of the Province now direct
thirdly that the selectmen annually chosen shall be to receive
the heads of blackbirds and Crows killed as in 3^d order is spe-
cified: and there account to be accounted sufficient evidence
to convict any person of his neglect: in reference to 3^d order
unless the party accused can makett legally appear that he
hath ~~been~~ brought in 3^d heads according to order

at a town meeting may 18th 1696 as attest Tho: Paine Clerk
the town made choice of Tho: Paine for there Representative
at the great and generall Court at Boston for the
following yeare

at the same meeting the town Repeled the act formerly made
giving liberty to any person to fence in brushie land for
three yeares:

at the same meeting The town voted that the owners of the land on
booth sides of the halsporne may for there conveni-
ency shut up the lanes: that is to say the lane be-
tween the land of Ephraim Doane and John Doane
on the East and the lane between the land formerly
belonging to William Brown leased and the land
of Daniel Cole jr: on the west side of the pond or riv-
er during the towns pleasure provided they shall keep
sufficient gates or bars for persons to go through
Carts as they have occasion

at the same meeting The town granted liberty to Deacon Freeman Mr Saml Smith
and Saml Freeman to fence in to the water below there lands
and to fence up the lanes during the towns pleasure: for the
more convenient securing there come lands and pasture by the
lanes is to be waded stony the lane between the land of
Saml Freeman and Saml Smith and the lane between the
land of Tho: Paine and the land of Saml Smith these lanes
to be fenced at the bottom next the water side on condition
that they keep convenient bars for Carts and gates for foot
persons to pass as they may have occasion

at the same meeting The town granted to Joseph Collings a piece of Common Land
lying between his house and the cart way if these men appointed
to have a negative vote in disposing of land shall allow of it

1697
Feb 12

one town meeting held at Eastham march 9th 1695: 6
the town agreed and voted that the order made about
C. killing and destroying of Crows and black-birds bearing date
march 29: 1675 should be againe renewed and stand in full
force and vertue: annually: with these additions and alterations viz
first that every young man that is for himself
or cause to be killed six blackbirds or Crows equivalent
secondly that the way of recovering the fine for breach of 3^d order
shall be as the ~~lawes~~ of the Province now direct
thirdly that the selectmen annually chosen shall be to receive
the heads of blackbirds and Crows killed as in 3^d order is spe-
cified: and there account to be accounted sufficient evidence
to convict any person of his neglect: in reference to 3^d order
unless the party accused can makett legally appear that he
hath ~~been~~ brought in 3^d heads according to order

at a Town meeting
May 18: 1696

The Town granted to pocket men liberty to fence in and improve the Common meadow lying to the southward of pocket for six years provided any other man or men of the town that shall have to fence the same on that shall afterwards pay his proportion for the fence that have liberty to move there upon the same terms as they shall agree upon among them selves. And the rest of the town to have the same liberty concerning the bog flats that ly between Nasset beach and the town:

at the same meeting

The town granted liberty to the neighbourhood on the north side of the town Cove and great neck if they see cause to fence a craze the neck from the ball pond to the great pond and from the great pond to the bay where they shall see most convenient for there convenience to keepe there Dry Cattle out and there milch Cattle in

at a Town meeting
Dec. 25: 96

The town made choice of William Trining and Jabez Walger for Petty Jury men for the following Court

February 15: 1696

Upon Receipt of a warrant from the Clerk of the Court of quarter sessions of the County of Barnstable requiring the select men of the town of Eastham to make a rate of nineteen pounds and five shillings for defraying the charges of sd. County (as he saith) where upon said town was convened together on the fifteenth day of february 1696: to consider of the same. And the town judged it to be contrary to the laws of this province for the Justices of the quarter session to raise money to defray any charges arising with said County. and therefore desired the select men not to make said rate. and voted that they would save themselves (as select men) for there so doing. being the same informed that considerable part of the money above said is to build Bridges in the County of plymouth

attest

Tho: Paine Town Clerk

at the same meeting

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It was ordered and acted by the town that for the time to come when any land is given by the town to any person the men annually chosen to have a negative vote in the disposing of lands (improving of the same) shall layout and bound the same

Sept: 13: 1697

The town made choice of Joseph Colling and Joseph come to serve as petty jury men at the following Court

at the same meeting

The town ordered the select men to make m. t. rate according to former custom

Decem: 2: 1697
at a town meeting

The town made choice of Capt Sparrow Capt Freeman Mr John Deane Daniel Cole and the same for assessors for the province Rate therto be made But Capt Freeman Daniel Cole and Tho: Paine being there present did declare thore non acceptance of said trust

at a town meeting
December 20: 97

Liet Jorow and Adiah Cooke were chosen Petty Jury men for the following Court

Q Benjamin Higgeny hath a Mart
foote the off 3 foote part white wth a white strip on her
face and running round toward the right soft full a piece cut
and a slit left in of on the side into the necke and also round marks wth E on
only 600 the necke shoulder this 14th of July 1664

More one Mart Coll of a bronze bay a piece cut of on the forehead
the necke and a slit in and round marks on the face
shoulder wth E this 14th of July 1664

More on more of a yarrow old of a dungh colour a flare in the forehead
neck foote behind white a piece cut of on the forehead the necke and
a slit cut out on the cane and on the back end top of the off part cut of
wth E on the face shoulder 19th August 1667

More on more coll of a dungh colour a flare in the forehead and a white
foote behind on the off foote and a piece cut of the forehead the
necke and a slit in the cane and round mark wth E on
the face shoulder so they are 600 slit in the necke and
August 19 1667

at a town meeting for Choice of Town officers March 15th 1697

Q. The town made choice of Tho: Paine for Town Clerk for the following year who was then sworn

for Constable Thomas Mulford Junr

for Grand Jurymen Israel Cole: medad chubb

for Select men Mr John Doane Capt. Samuel Freeman

John Paine

X Daniel Cole Junr
and Tho: Paine

for sitting men
Josiah Cooke sen:
John Mulford

for Town Treasurer John Paine:

for men to have a negative vote in disposing
of lands: Licut John Doane
Mr John Doane
Capt Samuel Freeman
Daniel Cole Junr
Tho: Paine:

for Surveirs of the Highways
Deacon Freeman:
Tho: Mayo: senr

for fence viewors Ensign Bangs
Tho: Cole
Tho: Mayo: and
John Paine

for pound keeper Jeremiah Smith

39 for Petty Jurymen for the following
Court John Paine: and Samuel Mayo senr

at the same meeting granted to Saml Knowls liberty to fence the
meadow at the head of the Cove in to the water
at both ends for one yeare the maintaining gates
sufficient to passe with horse and Cart.

at a Town
meeting
May 30 1697

The town made choice of Mr Saml Knowls
to serve them as their Representative at the
Great and general Court for the following yeare

At a Town meeting May 16th 1698 the Town made choice of
 Ensign Joshua Bangs and John Sparrow to look after the
 execution of the law referring to horses running upon the Common

William Messerly had one great toll of a horse
 a white mare on the farm. John Bangs on the road and
 found much toll on the road. The 11th of May 1698

Donaldson Higgins has one mare toll of a horse
 under toll of a horse of the 11th of May 1698
 saw and a white mare toll of a horse
 may. Found one horse toll of a horse 1698

Jonathan Higgins hath one more roll of a black
color out of a set of the inside of the top of the right
ear and a slit on the lateral of an ~~ear~~ ^{ear} ~~marked~~
with E on the lower shoulder this 20 of February 1663

William Messiter hath one more roll of a ~~black~~ ^{white} ~~roll~~ ^{roll} ~~with~~ ^{with} ~~roll~~ ^{roll} ~~with~~ ^{with}
a white blaze on the face. It is ~~low~~ ^{low} ~~by~~ ^{by} ~~down~~ ^{down} ~~on~~ ^{on} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~neck~~ ^{neck} ~~and~~ ^{and}
burned ~~marked~~ ^{marked} with E on the right ~~shoulder~~ ^{shoulder} March 11th 1663 class 64

At a town meeting May 16 1668 the town made choice of
Benjamin Higgins and John Spenser to look after the
execution of the referring to horses running upon the common

At a Town meeting for choice of town officers march 7. 1698
The choice for grand Jurymen for the following year
Joseph meyrick and John Doane Junr
for select men { Mr. John Doane
Tho: Mayo
Samuel Baine
John Baine
and Tho: Baine Junr: but Tho: Baine
being absent at said choice did there
declare his non acceptance of said trust

X for sitting men { Joseph Harding and
Mr Isaac Pepper

for Constable Samuel Mayo: sent
for town treasurer: John Baine

for town Clerk: Tho: Baine Junr.

for men to have negative vote in disposing of land
Capt Sparrow Lieut Snow
Capt Freeman Tho: Mayo
and Tho: Baine Junr.

for Pettie Jurymen for the following Court
Capt Freeman: Saml Kenolls

for Surveirs of the high wayes John Rogers and
Daniel Cole Junr.

for fence viewers Joseph Doane John Sparrow
Jabez Snow and John multon

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for Pound keeper Jeremiah Smith

at the same
meeting

The town voted that Tho: multon Constable for his extra-
ordinary trouble in gathering of rates should have the over plus
of a province rate of for treats rates which is in al about twen-
ty shillings

at the same
meeting

The town voted that the select men should ad to the
County rate about six pound for widow Coles support

at a town
meeting
may 16. 1698:

The town made choice of Israel Cole for
their Representative for the great and general
Court or assembly, for the following year
at the same meeting The town voted that 14 3/4 ordered to be paid by this
town for laying out a high way to mungway and also five
shillings which was due to Saml Kenolls for going to billings
gate to the town purchase to be paid out of the treasury

X

at a town meeting December: 26: 98: the town made choice of Nathaniel Freeman and Nath: others for petty jurymen for the following Court:

the town granted liberty for any of the Inhabitants of the town of Eastham to set up House Rouses for their Convenience upon the Common a convenient distance from the meeting House

at a town meeting January 8. 1698 the Town made choice of Daniel Boone Israel Cole Tho: mulford Junr Daniel Cole John Dean Junr and Daniel Gray: to take charge of the cattle and other creatures within the precincts of the town of Eastham which ~~shall~~ to stand for the following year. unless any man shall loose or dispose of any creatures: then to give an account to the selectmen who are to deduct the same and the men above named are to have two shilling pr day more for the time they necessarily spent about said worke

at the same meeting the town voted that Henry Atkins might have condition to his land in the woods of about an acre.

23rd 1003
 More one of our fawn grey and a fawn in the forested
 and two hills under the foot of the left bank and down marked
 with F on the right marked. August the 23rd 1003
 More one fawn grey and a fawn in the forested and two hills
 and two hills under the foot of the left bank and down marked
 with F on the right marked. August the 23rd 1003
 More one fawn grey and a fawn in the forested and two hills
 and two hills under the foot of the left bank and down marked
 with F on the right marked. August the 23rd 1003

at a town meeting May 8. 1699. The Town made choice
of Capt. Jonathan Sparrow for their Representative
for the following year at the great and general Court to
be holden at Boston on the 31 day of this Instant

at the same time the Town voted that for the future until the general
meeting Court shall see cause to ad to the Representatives wages
they will allow the Representatives of this Town legally
Chosen to that worke six shillings per week for what
time they shall necessarily spend upon said service: over
and above what the law doth already allow them:

whereas there hath some difficulty arisen in the
Town of Eastham about the gathering of the assizes
made for the paying of Mr Treats salary (by reason of
part of it was to be paid in provision yet no mention
made at what price said provision should pass) for pro-
= viding whereof said Town of Eastham at a Town
= meeting held July 31. 1700. agreed with y^e above sd. Mr
= Treat as followeth (that is to say) that for the future
they would pay to Mr Treat for his support in
the work of the ministry among them sixty and
five pounds: annually in Lawfull money of New Engl^{and}
on or about the last day of November: provided
and it was never the less agreed and concluded upon by
the parties above mentioned that if it should please
god so to order that money should be so scarce in this
Province that it cannot be had for such provisions &
Commodities as we raise among our selves that then
they will come to a new agreement concerning the
premises any thing herein contained to the contrary not
with standing: voted by sd. Town and Ratified major vote
Attest Tho: Daine Town Clerk

At a town
meeting

July 31. 1700.

The Town of Eastham being sensible of
some disorders in persons sitting in the meet-
ing house since the new addition: for preventing
whereof did agree and vote that they would chuse
three men to seat persons in the meeting house
and that they would take up satisfied with such
seats should be by those men ordered for them
selvs (and all under their charge and command) to
sit in: accordingly said Town made choice of
Mr John Doane Deacon Daniel Doane and Mr
Israel to do the work of seating persons in
the meeting house at a fore said

Attest Tho: Daine Town Clerk

Log: 41 Towne meeting July 31. 1700. The Town of Eastham being sensible of some disorders in persons sitting in the meeting house since the new addition: for preventing whereof did agree and vote that they would chuse three men to seat persons in the meeting house and that they would take up satisfied with such seats should be by those men ordered for them selvs (and all under their charge and command) to sit in: accordingly said Town made choice of Mr John Doane Deacon Daniel Doane and Mr Israel to do the work of seating persons in the meeting house at a fore said

W.A. Tolson meeting December 18, 1969 24

C. The Town made choice of Saml Mayo and
Elisha Paine for Pettie Jury men for the follow-
ing Court.

12-11-57 Cont.

James Rogers was accepted as a town man
and Nath Freeman was also accepted as a town

at the son's
meeting

The Town voted that no person or persons what
soever shall for the future cut any wood or brush
that grows between the land of Josiah Cooke
and the ^{land} of Thomas Miltow and the land
from the slash to lower end of said Miltow
land in the north on such penalty as the town
may see fit for cutting of wood on another mans
land to be recovered by due process of law by a
majority of the townsmen of Eastham.

The town voted that the selectmen should order a warrant for a County Rate of four pounds three shillings out of the last town for

that same vote that Jonathan Higgins might
stocking a bit of land at poche on the west side
of the Barby neck for his convenience of ferrying

note that William Brown might have about
four or five acres of land at Billingsgate above
Yaac Doane's land on the north side of Indian.

Brooke wrote that the negative men should settle the boys at the northerly end of the six genes of land outside

the ~~town~~ ^{of Eastbury} ~~order~~ ^{of} select men to petition y^e

the Towns owners & select men to petition the
general Court in the fall of the town concern
ing foreigners fetching oysters from Billingsgate as
also that Constables on these seaport towns may
be empowered to water haulers

Have the power of water-baylets

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 1900

A narrow belt of high fertile meadow
 forested with going down toward the north and
 west, E on the north ground a belt of the meadow
 June 18 1864

~~More a more~~
~~Hand on my F and~~
~~and and~~
~~the 19th June 1663~~

22. ~~There is a grey mare with a red~~
~~and a little white around the~~
~~mouth and a white horse with a white~~

At a Town meeting March 6th 1698 for choice of
Town officers for the following year:
The Town made choice of Tho Paine Junr who
for Town Clerk for the following year

for Constable Thomas Cole: who did then agree to
Joseph Collings to serve in his room and the Town allowed

for Selectmen Mr John Doane
Samuel Paine

Tho Mayo
Capt Freeman
and John Paine: But John Paine
and Capt Freeman being present
did declare their non acceptance
of said trust: But after word agreed
in the town to serve the
year provided they would
not compel them to serve
the next year which is
noted in the records

for sitting men Eliza Paine
and Daniel Cole

for men to have a negative vote in disposing of land
Capt Sparrow
Lieut Snow
Mr Doane
Israel Cole
and Tho Paine Junr

for Surveirs of the High way Daniel Doane
and Tho Milton

for fence viewers Sergeant Israel Cole Nath. Wright
Mr Isaac Pepper and Joseph Snow

for Pound Keeper Jeremiah Smith

for Grand Jurymen Nath Freeman
and William Savin

for Petty Jury men for the following Court
Joseph Paine and John Knowls

at the same meeting the Town voted that those men's names that
are blotted out of the list of the Townsmen
should be interlined

at the same meeting the Town granted for a ^{libertie} ~~windmill~~
to be set upon the hill above Joshua Hopkins

at the same meeting the Town granted that John Paine might have a
piece of land above the way to his house for a hay
yard and to set a barn upon: and also to have a
piece of his land at the westerly end of his land
to have as much on the north side as length of it

at the same meeting the Town voted that John Cole Junr might have
a bit of land to set a barn upon right his other
land where he now dwells at pocket

at a ²⁶town meeting August 22. 1899.

at a town meeting August 22. 1699.
C. The town made choice of Thomas Multon Strid -
Saml. Brown for Petitioner for the following Court
at the same meeting the town appointed John Parie and Joseph Voane
to take account of John Parie the former town
treasurer of what money hath been committed to him
and to give acquittance for payments made on the towns
behalf.

at the same
meeting

The Town voted that the Select Board make a
Rate for my Treat Saltery according to Custom: and
also to make a Town Rate for so much as they find
needfull for the following year:

Not the same
picture

The town voted that Steven Atwood might have
four or five acres of land on the south side of basin
brook stream.

at a town meeting sept^m the town chose for Petty Jury men for the year 18: 1800 following Capt our John Deane and Tho: mulford

at if some meeting voted that there should be twenty pounds added to the Rate for our Treas gallery for paying of school charges of County Rate and other Incident Charges of the town.

the town:
at if some Capt some freeman made his aduett to y^e town
meeting that some person or persons might be chosen to erect
bounds between the land where on y^e some Smith
lived and the towns common: Insign Joshua Bann
and Tho: Paine were chosen accordingly:

The first of these is the fact that the
 Government has been able to
 secure a large amount of
 money from the sale of
 the bonds of the
 Government.

22. 11. 1962

The Northern Quaternary Hall on horse coll of a year and a half
 of a small corner it is open. It is the top coll of the horse
 have and a little better. Pull out of the same have a little horse in the
 forest and ground made with E on the right ground.

At a town meeting february: 6: 1699/10: It was agreed upon by the town of Eastham that their meeting house should be enlarged sixteen foot in breadth so as to make it square, and said town made choice of Israel Cole and John Paine (as their agents) to agree with a workman and to take the care and oversight of the work: to provide materials for the carrying on and finishing of the same: and the charge thereof to be paid by the town

voted by the town of Eastham and read the major vote
attest Tho: Paine Town Clerk

at a town meeting february: 6: 1699/10: It was agreed upon that a school-master should be provided to keep a school in the town of Eastham and the charge thereof to be paid by the town as the law directs: and Thomas Paine Junr. was chosen by the town to provide and agree with a suitable person for the work above said for the following year.

voted by the town of Eastham and read the major vote
attest Tho: Paine Town Clerk

at the same meeting William Swining was made a town man

at y^e same meeting Samuel Paine had liberty to take a piece of common land by his house to sow flax for the next summer and no longer

at y^e same meeting it was granted that Joseph Adams fence at the head of Caleys lot show stand as it now doth

at y^e same meeting it was granted that Nathaniel Freeman fence at the corner of his field at out the gate that stands upon the common should so stand for the space of two years and no longer

at the same meeting Nathaniel Freeman was voted a town man

at a town meeting march: 18: 1699/100: the town granted Mrs. Melville libertie to fence in a little peice of common land (at the westerly end of Capt. Freemans land) for a garden for the space of five year provided it do not diminish the way that cometh up there from the water side

attest Tho: Paine Town Clerk

At a Town meeting March 18th 1699/200 for Choice of Town
Officers for the following year. The choice
for Town Clerk Tho: Paine Junr
for Selectmen { Mr John Doane
Saml Paine
Saml Mayo, senr
Tho: Mutton
Joseph Doane

for Tithing men John Sparrow and Daniel Mayo

for men to have a negative vote in disposing of land
in if town of Eastham Capt Freeman
Mr John Doane
Saml Knolls
Thomas Mayo
and Tho: Paine Junr

for Town Treasurer John Paine

for Surveies of the High wayes Daniel Doane
and Tho: Mutton Junr

for fence viewers William Walker Senr. Edmund
Freeman John Mutton: William Training John
Young and Daniel Mayo

for Pound Keeper Jeremiah Smith

for Constable Joseph Collins

for grand Jurymen Saml Knolls Richard
Higgs

44 for Pettie Jurymen for y^e following Court
Jonathan Linnel Joseph Doane

at the same time the Town chose Capt Sparrow for their
meeting agent to answer their presentment for not
at the same time keeping a Schoolmaster according to Law
meeting the Town voted that there should be a
Town Rate made of eighty pounds to pay
the charge of enlarging and Repairing the
meeting house to be paid by the last of
July next. Attest Tho: Paine Town Clerk

for the following
at the same meeting it was voted that Thomas Mayo
the son of Mr John Mayo may have about half an acre
of land to sett his horse on: at the west End of his
fathers land in the neck

[illegible]

William Spinning hath a mare of 2 years old with a
Dungh. blaze down her face and the hindew necke foote white and
could a little roze on the farre eare and the necke bare a flit on
the top and marked with E on the farre shoulder whie
he bought of Thomas Payne of a rolt May 14th 1662

Mare a mare colt of a Dungh. Coler with a white blaze
down her face grinding downe over the right nostrill and the
necke foote white and a little nicks on the top of the necke
eare and a little roze out behind the same eare and burne marked
with E on the farre shoulder this 21th of July 1663

Mare one mare colt of a mouse Coler a white broad flame on the forehead and white
upon the nose and a little nicks out on the top of the necke eare and a little nicks
behind the same eare and burne marked with E on the farre shoulder this 4th of
November 1665

Mare one reddish horse rolt with a white flame towards the nose
eye and a white slip downe the nose and a little nicks on the
top of the left eare and a nicks behind the same eare and
burne marked with E on the farre shoulder September 10th 1666

Mare one blackish mare rolt a white blaze downe her face
and the necke foote behind white and the off foote before
a white a nicks on the top of the left eare and a little nicks behind
the same eare and burne marked with E on the farre shoulder
September the 17th 1666

Mare one horse rolt of a brownish blacke coulour white downe the face
the necke foote behind white the necke bare a hollow roze on the top
and a little roze out behind the same eare burne marked with E on the
farre shoulder October the 11th 1668

Mare one Mare colt of a reddish Coler a little flame on the forehead
the farre foote behind white a hollow
roze on the necke bare a little roze
out behind the same eare burne marked with E on the farre
shoulder October the 11th 1668

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In front to a government down the street of the com
ty the town of Colborn were convened on the
13th day of may 1400 and made choice of three
Cote for their Representative to serve for one year
from the great and general Court at Boston
for the following year:
at the same meeting it was voted that Thomas Monks
the son of one John Monks have about half an acre
of land to be set for him in the west end of his
lot and land in the street

At a town meeting³¹ April: 22: 1700: the Town of Eastham
voted that the addition to Nathaniel Mayo's land
C. where his house now stands should be recorded to him
as the negative men have bound it

v voted that Jonathan Higers son might have about
Y two acres and half of land where he now lives =

noted that Isaac Higers may have about an acre of
land to sell a Barne on on the East Side of the
Cart way where he now liveth

voted that John Yeats may have the ~~land between~~^{use between} his land where he now lives and the land of Shipman land he Reeing and maintaining convenient gates or stiles for passengers to pass on foot — — —

noted that William Smith may have about four
acres of land at poore — — — — —

voted that Nicholas Paine may have about three or four acres of corn at the north side of the mill pond ~~and~~ Heifegandit

voted that Thomas Paine land may have all the
Common meadow that lyeth in the Boat meadow be-
tween the meadow of Capt Saml Freeman and if
lower end of the lots of meadow called the acres

lower end of the ...
 that Benjamin Snow may have ten acres of
 land beyond his Brother Josephs land at 1/2 rate
 now ponds ... may have a bit of land

many ponds
voted that Maziah Harding may have a bit of land
at the South End of his land at the great neck
where he now lives

where he now lives
at the same meeting upon the request of Elisha Haine
the negative men were ordered to settle the farms
of Elisha Haine land at little credit need where he
now lives and to make some alterations for the con-
venience of the high way. If they see cause

at a town meeting Dec. 19, 1700. The town chose for Petty Jurymen for the following Court John Rogers and Daniel Cole.

Nicholas Snow hath a horse of 2 years old of a
whitish colour marked the top of the right bare rump
of and the left ^{side} of each side a white rut and marked
with E on the right shoulder this 20 of March 62

More one 200 mark with a white blaze down her face in the left
foote below white and a little white out out side ear and round
marked with E on the right shoulder this ~~mark~~ mark was bought of Marks
Snow this 30th of March 1663

More one ^{mare} colt of a year old of a mottly colour with white in the forehead
and white between the nostrils and burnt mark with E on the right shoulder
this 30th of March 1663

More one mare about a year old of a roanish colour the top of the
right ear cut off and of each side of the nose and a white rut
towards the top and burnt with E on the right shoulder March 10th 1663

More one mare colt of a roanish colour the top of the right
ear cut off and of each side of the nose and a white rut towards the top
and burnt with E on the right shoulder March 10th 1663 also 62

It is a town meeting March the 18: 1669/700 the
town of Epsom being feign of the inconvenience
that hath ~~been~~ arisen in the town (by reason
that some persons that have had land granted to
be taken by the town on terms meeting) have not
been able to have their application in order to lay
down the same according to town order
and in the town the same according to town order
for preventing request of slaves aged on and voted by 30
that what discover persons or persons that have
been that have not yet obtained a confirmation thereof
wherein that have not yet obtained a confirmation thereof
from every negative man shall apply them selves
into said negative men and obtain their major vote
for the confirmation of the same according to the order
for the town the space of two months next after
the date is 18 day of march or 20th being grant
shall be after due order and of more effect and further
it was ordered and voted at the same that Nicholas
ever person or person that shall have after obtaining a
vote in any town meeting of the town of Epsom for
any land and shall not within the space of two months
next after such grant of having a confirmation and
betterment thereof by the above said negative men shall
thereof such grants shall be void and null as if never
granted

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The town of Eastham being sensible that some
C. parsons within said town have taken in part of said
towns Commons and so improve the same to the towns
great damage: for preventing whereof said town of East
ham did at a town meeting June: 17. 1700: make choice
of Saml Mayo senr and Joseph Doane: for their agents or
attornies for the following year: (in so towns name and behalf)
to prosecute to effect in law: against any person or persons
parsons that have or shall intrud upon any of said towns
Commons and to employ any other attornay or attornies
as they shall see cause for the management of the pre-
mises: and whatsoever said agents shall legally do or cause
to be done: shall be of as full force and value as if done by
said town themselves: Attest Tho: Daine Town Clerk

At a town meeting on the eleventh day of August 1701
the town of Eastham voted that the select men should to-
gether with mr. Treak Rose raise thirty pounds for defray-
ing of town charges:
at the same meeting John Mulford Richard Sparrow and Mica-
ah Snow were accepted as towns men by the town of Eastham

at a town meeting January 28 1702
voted that the select men should Inquire after a whale
which (it is said) Simon Newcomb and Richard Rich cut
up at Billings gate last year and to proceed thereon as
the matter may require
at the same meeting ~~that the select men should~~ should
meeting of parson ~~should be~~ should be for a whale which was cut up
on the back-side this winter

at a town meeting february 11: 1701
Capt: Sparrow Saml Knolls Thomas Mulford Mr. John
Doane and Daniel Mayo and the town Clerk for
time being were chosen by the town of Eastham to be a
Committee (or any three of them) to surveigh all if com-
mon meadows within the township in order to a division and
to settle the bounds of particuler mens meadows where
they are decied wanting or dubious between the parsons and
the Commons: and to make retour thereof to the town at or
before the fifteenth day of april next:

Attest Tho: Daine Town Clerk

at the same meeting
The town voted that Thomas Rich might have two
acres of upland laid out on the southerly side of a little
ceder swamp that lyeth at the south side of the highway
that goeth from the head of the town Cove to Harwich
also voted by the town if Joseph Rogers might have about two
acres of land at the westerly end of his other land where
Rogers lives and to extend so far southerly that he may have
in a little pond if lyeth in the swamp by his house

At a town meeting march 12th 1700/1 for choice
of town officers the town made choice of Thomas
Paine Juror for town Clerk
for Constable Joseph Doane

for selectmen Thomas Mulford Saml Mayo and

for striking men John Rogers and John Paine

for men to have a negative vote in disposing of
land in the town of Eastham

X Capt Sparrow Capt Saml Freeman
Mr John Doane Saml Knolls and the pine

for grand Jurymen Jehabed Rogers

for Pettie Jurymen for the following Court
Samuel Doane

for assessors for the Province rate for the fol-
lowing year John Paine Thomas Mulford
and Saml Mayo

for town treasurer

for ~~viewers of the high ways~~ John Mulford and the mayo

for fence viewers Lieutenant Snow Isaac
Pepper ~~and~~ Mayo and Israel Doane
Saml Mayo and Richard Rich

for pound keeper Jeremiah Smith

at the same meeting Israel Doane was admit-
ed a townsmen

at the same meeting Capt Freeman and Mr John Doane were
appointed by the town to take account
of the town treasurer which they accom-
-ingly then did and they say that there is
due to John Paine the town treasurer
from the town four pounds nine shillings
and eight pence and he takes up for his salary
with twenty shillings so the whole is

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the left by the 5 a drop on the left side
a view on the left side. More on the left side
the left side of the road. The left side of the road
the left side of the road. The left side of the road

At a Town meeting April: 10: 1701 The Town granted a
C. Town Rate of forty pounds to be made for Defraying of
Town Charges

voted by the Town that the persons warned to depart the
Town and are not gone be sent out as the Law directs
voted that the foreign Indians be not suffered to live on the
Towns Commons: and that those Indians that are natives of
the Town should be Confined to live at such places as the
Town shall order Mr Saml Treat Capt Jonathan Spar-
row Mr John Doane and Mr Saml Knowls were Chosen
by the Town to lay out places for the Indians to live upon
at the same meeting Capt Freeman Mr Saml Knowls Mr Tho:
Mullford were Chosen a Committee to view the Towns Commons
and to draw up some orders there on for the preservation of
fire-wood and fencing within sd Town

At a Town meeting May: 12: 1701: the Town Chose for their
Representative for the following year Mr Israel Cole
For Tithing men John Rogers and John Young

at the same meeting voted that Saml Knowls may fence his
land at y^e Head of the Town Cove in to the water he allowing
out of his Easterly parcel of land as much land as he takes
in of the Common: he also keeping gates sufficient for C^t H to
pass and about bring over the Creek from the first of April to
the last of November annually: this grant is to stand for five
years and no more:

At a Town meeting June: 17: 1701: The Town Chose for petty
Jurymen for the following Court John Sparrow and
John Knowls

At a Town meeting February 11: 1701
voted by y^e Town of Castham
that Joshua Hopkins might fence from y^e north East Corner
of his land (on the southerly sid of y^e Head of the Town Cove)
in to sd Cove and fence up y^e lane he twist his orchard and his
barne (for the same term of time as Saml Knowls hath liberty
to fence his land in to y^e water at y^e Head of sd Cove) pro-
vided he keep up sufficient and easie gate for Carts to
pass one in sd lane and the other under the bank where
it may be most convenient for passage

Attest Tho: Daine Town Clerk

At a town meeting March 16. 1702 for choice of
town officers the town of Eastham made choice
C. for town clerk John Paine

For select men Thomas Mayo Saml Paine and
Joseph Doane

For Constable John Mulford

For sitting men Joshua Hopkins and Nicholas Paine

For men to have a negative vote in disposing of lands
within the township of Eastham

X. The town voted to choose grand and
pettie jury men though if warrant
for the same be not yet conce

For grand jury men } Capt Sparrow
Nathanael Young } Mr. John Doane
Joshua } John Paine
 } Tho. Mulford
 } Saml Knowls

For pettie jury men for the following Court
Saml Mayo and Daniel Cole Junr

For town treasurer Joseph Doane

For town agents to manage any controversies if may
arise within the town for the following year
Thomas Mulford and Saml Knowls

For ~~fence viewers~~ ^{surveyors of the highways} Nathanael Mayo Sen and Thomas
Cole

For fence viewers George Shaw John Cole Junr
Daniel Cole Junr Josiah Cook Junr John Collins
and Simon Newcomb

For pound keeper Jeremiah Smith

Johnathan Sparrow hath one black mare could bough of
Nath Mayo: who shew in his fore head a mark like
a crop off the top of his right ears & a set under his
crop & burn mark in his E one his right shoulder
mark
Nath Sparrow hath one mare now five years old
right off with a counter mark with a standing crop one
his right ears & a set white hairs in his forehead & burn mark
off his E one his right shoulder: February the last 1660

at a Town meeting March 16: 1701² the Town agreed
C. with the Town Treasurers to allow him six pence
a pound for what money he shall Receive in and
pay out for the Town

at the same meeting the town voted that Thomas Rich might have
two acres of land one Easterly side of y^e Cedar town
where the negative men have laid it out

at the same meeting voted that Mr John Doane might have the
lane and other land that layeth between his
field called the rabbit swamp field and his other
land he turning out so much of the northerly
ly side of the rabbit swamp field as he taketh
in quantity and quality

At A Town meeting May the 11th 1702
the Town made choice of
Joseph Doan for Representative

at the same Town meeting it was voted that those men should
be chosen to settle bounds between particular men land
and the Towns commons where the bounds are left or
uncertain and that two of them shall be sufficient in
that case for a committee in the Towns behalf
accordingly at the same meeting the Town made choice
for the one and aforesaid of (Isaac Cole
for the present year
Jonathan Snow
John Caine

at the same meeting May 11

it was voted that the Selectmen should make avails of
fourth ponds for the defraying of town charges

at the same
Town meeting
May 11th 1702

voted that the Common meadow or hay ground belonging
to the Town of Eastham shall be divided to the true
propriators to have and hold for ever

at the same
meeting voted
(May 11th 1702)

that there shall be twelve men chosen as a committee
to determine who ~~have~~ have or ought to have a proportion
in the Towns Common meadow and who not and what pro-
portion each have or ought to have in sd Common meadow
and that the sd twelve men or eight of them agreeing
the Town do oblige them selves to abide by their deter-
mination and the charge to be paid by the proprietors
according to such ones proportion

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at the same
meeting May
11th 1702

voted that Thomas Cole may have have libertie
to set his fence upon the edge of the upland where
his Swamp comes home to the up land provided there be
no nooks of upland

voted May 11th
1702

that Jonathan Sparrow may have libertie to take
a small parcel of land lying between the old ditch
that was made to let water in to the salt pond near
sd Sparrow his house and any other land and to
improve it for pasture three years

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At a Town meeting April 10th 1701

Granted by & Town to Saml. Knowls Liberty to fence
his land at the head of y^e Town Cove into the river ~~into~~
~~the river~~ at the two corners and also to shut up & close
or ways that go through his land for the space of five
years and no longer (the time to begin on the first day of
March next ensuing on Condition that S^d Knowls keep
sufficient and easie gates convenient for Carts to pass to
time to time and at all times during the terme afore-
said also to turn out so much of his land at the Easterly
End of his Easterly lot as he takes in of y^e Common (which grant
is made of by the major part of the men appointed to have a re-
-gative vote in disposing of land within y^e Town of Eastham) and by them
the land that S^d Knowls turneth out in lieu of what he takes in and also the
ways through his land are bounded viz the way between his Easterly field
and the field next his house is bounded beginning at the Easterly field
Corner of his field next to his house and from thence northerly
to a stone marked SK on the west side of the way and so
across the way to another stone marked SK on the East side of
way between which two stones one of the gates is to stand and the
land on the westward of his house is to be fenced beginning at a stone
marked SK by the way S^d on the west side of his barne and from
thence southerly to a stone marked SK at a corner or rounding of his
field on the South side of his barne and the way on the South side of
his land he is to fence from the Corner of his meadow next to Joshua
Hopkins so down into the Cove where it shall be judged most conveni-
ent at which place S^d Knowls is to set up and maintain another gate
where it may be most convenient for Carts to pass and S^d Knowls is
also to make and maintain a foot bridge over the Creek that runneth out
of his meadow into the Cove where it may be most convenient for foot
passengers to go over from the first of March to the last of November
-imally during the term afore-
-in lieu of what he takes in by the above-
-erly End of his Eastermost field containing about an acre and an half
-ed by the high way a stone marked SK about thirteen pole to the westward
of his Corner bound of y^e lot and another stone marked SK at the foot of
the bank by the Cove side. Attest Tho: Paine Town Clerk

William Adair's Hall on Blarney. name is a white Snyper the rope
 given. No now egg walls the ~~engines~~ it is wonderfully well
 before with a the right foot being ~~drawn~~ out of the hole
 of our own ~~burnt~~ ~~marked~~ one the ~~last~~ ~~up~~ is IS & one the right
 the 10th Feb. 1660.

At a Town meeting³⁹ may the eleventh 1702
 the Town made choice of twelve men as a committee in the
 Towns behalf to determine who have or ought to have pro
 priety in the Towns. Common or undivided meadow
 and what propriety each have or ought to have in ed com
 mon meadow and sd twelve men or nine eight of them agree
 ing on any method the Town doe oblige them selves to abide by
 their determination the twelve men chosen by the Town are
 as followeth viz

{	Capt Jonathan Sparrow	{	Capt Saml Freeman	{	Lieuten Joseph Snow
	Samuel Knowles		Saml Mayo son		Ensign Joshua Bangs
	John Cole Jr		John Paine		Saml Paine
	Joseph Snow Jr		Jonathan Higgins Jr		Thomas Mayo son

At the same voted that the Inhabitants both of Town and pochia
 meeting may have libertie to fence the sd flat in p^{er} they
 may 11 1702 have done at late and that none presume to touch any
 Croutaves to graze on sd flat after enclosed on penalty
 of being prosecuted against at the law direct

At a Town meeting may 26 1702
 The Town made choice of Thomas Paine Jr for a moderator
 for that day

at the same meeting it was proposed that a vote should be called for whether the
 Towns Common meadow s^{ay} or lay ground should be divided to the
 proprietors to have and hold s^{ay} according to former vote and in p^{er}
 Joan and Thomas Mayo son were chosen by the Town to take account
 of the number of s^{ay} that were for the dividing of it in such
 manner and according by the vote being called for there was a clear
 vote in the affirmative that they should be s^{ay} divided s^{ay} s^{ay}
 twenty eight that were on the affirmative and but fifteen for the
 negative and in order thereunto the Town at the same meeting
 chose a committee of twelve men to act in their behalfs with respect
 to dividing the Towns common meadow s^{ay} or lay ground in the
 same way and manner as was ordered and agreed upon by the Town
 at a Town meeting may the eleventh 1702 the names of the
 men then chosen are as followeth

{	Saml Knowles	{	Saml Paine	{	Saml Mayo
	Lieuten Joseph Snow		Jonathan Higgins Jr		Joshua Bangs
	John Paine		Micajah Snow		Joseph Snow Jr
	John Cole Jr		Edmond Freeman		Thomas Mayo son

ps John Paine Town Clerk

At a Town meeting may 26 1702
 it was voted that John Sparrow may have libertie to s^{ay}
 shut up the fence that is made from the s^{ay} belonging
 to Saml Mayo Joshua Hopkins and partners to sd Sparrows
 own fence untill the full of the year provided he doe not
 keep any horses or neat cattle within sd fence untill after
 mowing and hay time is over

at the same meeting it was voted that Daniel Cole s^{ay} should have
 all the price of land about Ralt an s^{ay} near his own land where
 it shall be approved of by the neighbours to set his house upon

The above is a true and correct copy of the original
 as the same is now in the possession of the Town
 of Andover Mass.

At a Town meeting may the 26. 1702. voted that the Inhabitants of parmit shall be freed from having any part of Town Charge arising within the Town of Eastham except what is to pay the representation annually and Counties and province rates only the Town rate alowd is agreed upon to be made they are to pay half what is their just proportion always provided that they doo keep and support a gospel minister among them selves this was voted at the Town meeting above sd at Attest John Saine Town Clerk

At a Town meeting June the 8th 1702 the town chose for
Joshua Banger
and William Training
to be Juris men for the following Court
At a Town meeting September the 14th 1702 the Town made choice of
David Melvill and Thomas Dean to serve on the Juris of tryals the next Court

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June last 1860. Ties, by which one Browne man of two years old marked with a drop on the right ear & Burne marked on the right shoulder with E.

There one black horse a year and a half ago with a
white in his forehead a crop on his right ear and burn marked
on his right shoulder with E this 10th of September 1662
more one mare colt of a brownish color a crop on the
right ear and burn marked with E on the right shoulder with
E this 10th of September 1662

Shore on 15. reddish mare. Colt with a white fringe in his forehead and a narrow white streak running down to his nose. White on hind legs and hoofs. Glits on the top of the right ear and curved marks on E on the right shoulder. This 23 of February 1863.

At the town meeting September the 14th 1902 the town made choice of David Merrill and Thomas Voon to serve on the Board of Highways the next

At a Court meeting June the 8th 1902 the down case for
X parted with man for the following cost English John Bongers
and English man for the following cost English John Bongers

nourished ^{the} 16th 1000. Cool. hath our black ^{main} Coat of grey & white
with a white Star in the fore head & a white Snip on the nose
& ~~two~~ marked with a ~~white~~ half Crop on the neck
& ~~burns~~ marked with an E on the fore

More one laste horse sold with a halfe crop on the near side on the
 backside of the same and burnt marked with E on the right shoulder
 the 22th of the 6 month. 1662

More on redish. horp. Coll with a little ^{white} flave in the forehead and jaw
white furks and a half crop on the nose and out and burn mark
with E on the right shoulder this 10th of May 1664

More one bay horse with a star in the forehead and the
the nose foote behind white and the nose can with
a halfo. rope and burned marks with E on the right
the 9th of August 1666

1st a Town Meeting may the 26. 1902. vote that the In
 habitants of permit shall be free from having and pay
 of Town (Charges arising within the town of Eastham except
 what is to pay the representation annually and County and
 province rates, only the town vote already agreed upon to be
 made they are to pay half what is their left proportion always
 provided that they do keep and support a good minister a
 mong them selves this was voted at the town meeting
 after 53

John Lane
Down Street

At a town meeting May the 26 1702 the Town voted that David Young Joseph Cole John Knowles George Shaw David Dean Judah Rogers Joseph Rogers Henry Young Barnh Higgins Thomas Mays Isaac son of Thomas theophilus Mays Saml Dean John Collins and Caleb Cooks should be taken in for townsmen of Eastham p. J. Paine town clerk
at a town meeting July the 2 1702 the town chose John Paine for moderator for that meeting

at the same town meeting July the 2 1702 being a meeting warned for the town to hear the determination of the committee chosen may the twentie sixt relating to the dividing the towns common or undivided meadow or Ray ground it was then againe voted by the town that sd committee should bring in their determination that day and that sd town would abide by and stand to what they did in that matter committed to them by the town and accordingly the same day sd committee brought in their determination which was approved of without dissenting and in order that a matter might be fully accepted to stand the town made choice of Capt Samuel Freeman Labor Snow Joseph Snow Junior Daniel Mays Joseph Dean and John Paine to divide the common meadow sd Ray ground belonging to the town according to the method agreed upon by the committee chosen by the town for that end and the town also voted to stand to and abide by what they did in order to or in dividing sd commons or what the major part of them should see fit and that if it please god to remove any one or more of the persons above mentioned by death from the town to put in others or others in their roomes and this division to be finished at or before the twentith day of August in the year of our Lord 1703 p. J. Paine Clerk

at the same meeting it was voted that Thomas Dean William Brown Benjamin Higgins Nathan Harding and Abial Harding should be taken in for townsmen

at a town meeting July the 27th 1702 it was voted that the select men should make a list for an Assessment for the defraying the towns Salaries according to town agreement

at a town meeting february the 1st 1702³ the town made choice of Mr. Saml Knowles for moderator for that meeting

at a town meeting february the 8th 1702³ the town made choice of Capt Jonathan Spruvel for a moderator for sd meeting

at the same meeting (viz) february the 8th 1702³ the town voted that they do approve of the inhabitants of parmit who live to the northward of the bound of the land belonging to the town of Eastham their desire to be a township ~~by themselves~~ if the General Court shall see cause to grant it or Attest J. Paine town Clerk

at a town meeting february the 8th 1702³ the town voted that Joshuah Harding should have a small piece of upland near the south east corner of Joshuah Hopkins his land if the negative men approve of it

At the same meeting (viz) february the 8th 1702³ the town made choice of Mr John Dean Samuel Knowles Lieut Joshuah Bangs Saml Mays and Israel Cole as agents for the town in order to the selling the bounds of the meadow in the great meadow between the town and particular persons

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of October 1669
and much more
the year 1702 and a week or two
a long while the
upon the day of the
and having suffered of the year 1702 and two
of the year 1702 and two
of the year 1702 and two

At a Town meeting January the 18: 1712/3 it was voted that John Cole Junior should have the trees that stand to the northward of his house which he now lives between 25 rods and the bank by the sea (that is to say) 12 rods upon a straight line from the western end of his 50 rods down to the bank and upon a straight line north from the eastern end of 25 rods down to the bank. So taking in all the trees between 25 two lines these trees are granted to John Cole to him his heirs and assigns forever

At a Town meeting February the 15th 1712/3 being warned for that purpose the Town by the major part of the qualified persons there present made choice successively of Joseph Doan 2dly of Capt Jonathan Sparrow and 3dly of John Cline to serve for and represent them at the great and general Court at Boston to be holden at the month of March next but they all being present declared their own acceptance

At a Town meeting January the 22nd 1712/3 the Town made choice of Mr John Doan for their Representative to serve them at the great and general Court at Boston and he being present accepted of the Service

At the same meeting the Town voted to send a petition to his excellency the Governor for a prohibition to prevent our sending any soldiers out of our Town against the enemies in foreign parts and the Town also then made choice of Capt. Sant Brown Joseph Doan and John Daine to draw up 2d petition in the Town behalf

At the same meeting the Town voted to grant two small additions to his excellency the Governor on the Southeast side of the highway above his house as the men appointed to have a negative vote in that affair that they convenient

At the same meeting January the 22nd the Town voted to give David Young a small parcel of upland by the Cove side below his house where he hath fenced in to dry hay about an acre and half

At a Town meeting March the first 1702/3 the Town voted to choose but these Select men for the following year according to the same meeting the Town by their major vote made choice of Mr Select Israel Cole Joseph Snow Jr & John Daine

For Town Clerk John Daine

For constable John Sparrow

For sitting men Thomas Doan & John Atkins

For men to have a negative vote in disposing of lands

For surveyors of the highways Jonathan Higgins Jr and Jabez Snow

For fence viewers Thomas Maye Sr & Samuel Knowles Joseph Collins and Nathaniel Mayo Jr

For town Treasurer Joseph Doan

For Grand Jury men Levi Joshuah Banges and David Young

For petit Jurymen for the next Court John Knowles and John Cole Junr

For a pound keeper Jeremiah Smith

Sam Knowles
Israel Cole
Joseph Doan
Capt Sparrow
John Daine

At a Town meeting march the first 1702/3 the Town voted that George Shaw might have liberty to let his fence stand in the place where it now is that is to say the fence on the northern side of his land next to the lane by William Swinnings for one year longer from this present time

At the same meeting the Town voted to give George Shaw three pounds and ten shillings of the money which is in Mr. Swatts hands which money was formerly contributed for the redemption of Thomas Statcher

it was also voted at the same Town meeting that what necessary charge or money should be expended in order to procuring a protection from his excellency to secure us from sending any soldiers into his Majesties Service out of Town the Town would respond the same out of the Town stock

voted at the same meeting viz: march the 1st 1702/3 that what trees or brush are standing at the northern end of the land of Lord Joshua Bangor next to the Bains house and the common shall be reserved for the benefit of the Town and not to be cut down or destroyed by any particular person except the man chosen to have a negative vote in disposing of lands in Eastham shall see cause to confirm them to Lord Joshua Bangor

voted at the same meeting viz: march the first 1702/3 that the woods on the twenty acres of land at the head of the Town road (which was once granted to Mr Samuel Toot but now again returned to the Town) shall be reserved and no person shall presume to cut any trees brush or timber off from said land under penalty of forfeiting and paying as much to the use of the Town for every tree so cut down or carry away of from said land as is by law provided for cutting of from particular more persons

voted at the same meeting that the Town Clerk should sign the petition which was ordered to be sent to his excellency in the name of the Town

at a Town meeting April the 21st 1703 the Town made choice of Mr Samuel Knowles for a commissioner according as was ordered by law

Whereas there is a parcel of upland and meadow lying on an Island within the Township of Eastham which Island is commonly called and known by the name of Liss Islands which was formerly reserved by vote of this Town to be improved for the support of said as shall be employed in the ministry during the Towns pleasure at a parcel of broken meadow in the great meadow so called but the Town having since taken special care for the support of the minister and judging it most convenient for the general benefit of the Town and the respective Inhabitants that the four sd parcels of upland and meadow shall be improved as other parcels of the Towns Commons and whereas the Town have taken care and are now about dividing the Towns Commons and undivided meadows to the respective Inhabitants as is agreed upon it is therefore ordered and agreed upon by unanimous consent at a Town meeting April the 21st 1703 that those four sd parcels of meadow viz at Leutenants Island and the great meadow shall be divided as other the Towns Commons meadow shall be and also that the four sd parcels of this Island at meeting April the 21st 1703 none contradicting

recorded the day above named

at a Town meeting May the 10th 1703

the Town made choice of Mr Samuel Knowles for their Representative to serve at the General Court

at the same meeting viz: May the 10th 1703 voted that a Town meeting be wanted to be on the last Monday in May instant to take effectual care in what may be yet thought wanting with reference to dividing the undivided meadow in this Town

at the same meeting it was voted that Joseph Cohen Jr should be entered for a Townsman

At a Town meeting May the tenth 1703 voted that on the condition that Mr Samuel Knowles will serve the Town of Eastham as their representative he being already legally chosen to sd service, then the Town will allow sd Knowles liberty to shut up his gates on each side of the Road of the Coos during the whole time that he shall be out of Town on sd service the Sabbath day only excepted and the Town to allow him his wages according to Town agreement notwithstanding

At the same meeting (viz) May the tenth 1703 Voted that the Respectable neighbours to whom the Common or undivided meadow in this Town was granted the last year (viz) 1703 shall have liberty to fence sd common meadow again this year also according to the method that was then granted and that the persons that fence in sd meadow shall cut the grass this following year except such persons who do not help fence and yet shall happen to have the grass within sd fence shall pay to such persons as did fence sd meadow reasonable satisfaction according to their proportion for their labour before the time of mowing & that the part of the Town that was then allotted to Lieutenants Island shall have liberty to fence in the meadow at sd Lieutenants Island on the same conditions

At a Town meeting May the 31st 1703 the Town made choice of Joseph Dean for moderator for that meeting

at the same meeting the Town voted that the men appointed to divide the Common meadow belonging to the Town should divide it according to the rule agreed upon by the Committee chosen by the Town as they agreed and gave in their determination at a Town meeting July the 2^d 1702 the Town now approving of sd determination as a rule to divide by

At the same meeting the Town voted that whereas in the determination of the Committee chosen by the Town to settle and conclude on a method for the dividing the Towns Common meadow it is shew that a share shall be allowed to mark snow it is meant and intended mark snow decayed and therefore that the word decayed be and therefore

voted at the same meeting that the men appointed by the Town to lay out the common or undivided meadow belonging to the Town shall proportion the meadow conveniently to each part of the Town before any lots are cast for it

voted at the same meeting that the Town shall and do oblige them selves to stand by and defend every man in his right to bear him harmless from any that shall molest him or them in the quiet possession of his or their share which shall be allotted him by virtue of this division which concluded on by the Town

voted at the same meeting that if any qualified person through accident be missed in the list brought in at this meeting they may afterwards be brought in and put into the list by those that divide the meadow

voted at the same meeting that Stephen Atwood Senior have six or seven acres of upland laid out to him at bound brook Island in love of his share of meadow or his propriety in the Common meadow it being his request that it may be

voted that Thomas Colley and William Smith are accepted as full proprietors

voted that Elysha Higgins shall have a half share in the division of the meadow

voted that Isaac Thomas Cain Joseph young Constant Freeman and Thomas Mulford Junr shall be accounted proprietors in the division of the Common meadow in Eastham

voted that Samuel Dean Benjamin Snow John Knowles and James Rogers are accounted full proprietors in the division of the Common meadow

At a Town meeting June the fourteenth 1703 the Town made choice of Capt Samuel Freeman and Joseph Dean for Jurymen to serve on the Jury of tryall the next Court

Voted at a Town meeting July the 26th 1703 That Eddad Atwood shall have the whole neck of upland whereon he now lives and the skirt of meadow which lies round it from the bounds at the northerly part as they were settled by the men appointed to lay out the Common meadows in Eastham in the year 1703 he taking the meadow for his full proportion in the Common meadow in this division

Voted at the same meeting that Daniel Mayo shall have a small skirt of meadow lying below his land at Duck Cove he taking it for so much as his money part came unto in the division of the Common meadow in Eastham

1703 March 25th 1703
I have this off the above offer in money of the Town by
myself and the Jurymen of the Town for the year 1703
of the Town of Eastham
1703

given forth which lot or paper shall be immediately opened and read
publicly declared of what number it is. and accord by the Town Clerk im-
mediately made of it and the lot or share of meadow which is of the same
number in that parcel of meadow then letted for shall be the lot of that person
and shall (the major part of the men appointed to have negative vote in
disposing of lands within the Town of Eastham approving thereof) be by
the Town Clerk recorded in the Town Books of records of lands granted by the
Town of Eastham (to the ~~respective~~ persons as the lot falls) to whom the
executors administrators and assigns to have and to hold for ever and approv-
ed of by the major part of the men appointed to have negative vote in disposing
of lands within the Town of Eastham and that the above method of giving forth
the lot shall be proceeded in till all the lots are successively given forth

Enterd J^r John Baine Town Clerk

at the same meeting July 26th 1703 voted that Samuel Mayo Senior should be the
man to give forth the lots who being present and accepting thereof the above
method was proposed in and lots accordingly given forth to the respective proprietors

Attest John Baine Town Clerk

at town meeting September the 15th 1703. Levitt J^r Joshua Bangor
and Josiah Cooke Sen^r were chosen to serve on the Jury of tryall at
Barnstable the next quarter sessions

at the same meeting the town voted that the selectmen doe forth
with make the list for a rate to defray the towns salary according
to town order and agreement

voted at the same meeting that there be a town meeting wound
around personally to be met on the second Monday in October next
to take effectually care about paying the men that laid out
within the Towne Common meadow this present year and to attend such
other town business as shall then be laid before them

At the town meeting October the 15th 1703. voted that John Sparrow shall have
the lot or share of meadow that is laid out at the back side of the field as it is
now laid out and bounded in the lot of the share that fell to him by lot and also of
Israel Cole shall have the addition of six pole aboy the whole length of his lot or share
in the low meadow voted again March the 15th 1703/4

At the same meeting viz October the 15th 1703 granted by the town to Thomas
Malford Sen^r the price of common meadow that lay between the lot of meadow that was
laid out to the heirs of Mr Thomas Brown and the lot of meadow that was laid
out to Robert Wicamman Round Brook Pond and also the Bellinggate now then
now dwelling house of J^r Thomas Malford being about half of the quantity of
an Acre more or less voted again March the 15th 1703/4

At the same meeting voted that Jonathan Linn shall have meadow enough
laid out to him on that side of the flats next the Keshoke as will afford ab-
soud of hay annually or
granted at the same meeting to widow Lidiah Higgs a piece of meadow
about two acres more or less lying by the lot of her son Benjamin
on the town flats bounded (viz) Beginning at the northerly bound of J^r Baine
mine Higgs his lot so running to the northerly bound of the
the lot of Mr John Dorn and soe taking in all the common meadow between the
head of the flats to the South side and that is granted to J^r Widder to have
and improve during the term of his natural life

at a town meeting march the 21st 1704

The town made choice for negative men for the following year of

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For Selectmen
Thomas Mayo
Samuel Paine
Thomas Paine
Joseph Doan
Thomas Mulford

Levi Snow
Capt. Saml. Freeman
Saml. Paine
Joseph Doan
John Paine

But Joseph Doan and Thomas Mayo Declined their non acceptances whereupon the town voted to chuse two more to serve in their stead and accordingly made choice of Mr Samuel Knowles and Nathaniel Freeman to serve in and supply their places who like wife being present Declined their non acceptances whereupon the town then made choice of Nathaniel Snow and Richard Higgins to supply their places and they accepted

For Constables Israel Cole and John Snow

For town Clerk John Paine

For town treasurer John Paine

For Grainmen Joshua Hopkins and Isaac Higgins

For Tithing men Saml Smith and Hosokiah Doan

For Jurymen Thomas Mulford and John Knowles

For fence viewers John Sparrow Joseph Mayrick & Edward Knowles

For Surveyors of highways Israel Doan John Mulford

At a town meeting July the 14th 1705 the town made choice of Mr Samuel Knowles to serve the town as their Representative at the Generall Court at Boston the following year

At a town meeting May the 14th 1705 voted that the town should

summon in this town shall prosecute such persons as trespass either by cutting in or improving the towns common undivided land or cutting timber contrary to the towns act or order and that the town will have him removed and reimburse him his charge at once and him for his time which he shall spend in service

At the same meeting (viz) May the 14th 1705 voted that any of the inhabitants of the town of Capham Respectively shall have liberty to run their fence to enclose their meadows over points of upland where there is nothing to stopper fence or to take in their upland to make hay and the town then chose Capt. Saml. Freeman Thomas Cole and Samuel Paine for the northern part of the town and Samuel Mayo Joseph Doan and Joseph Mayrick for the Southern part of the town to have Inspection into that matter to determine where such persons shall set their fence which fence the inhabitants have liberty to make close to keep sheep out of the meadows. By the northern part of the town it meant all to the northward of the Wickow River called Boat meadow creek and the northward and by the Southern part all to the Bullward of the Wick and where two of which these of men determine there a fence may stand

At a town meeting May the 14th 1705 voted that the town should

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At the same meeting the Town made choice of Mr Samuel
Knapp for moderator for that meeting

At a Town meeting May 14th 1905 voted that Capt. Samuel Spurrman may have liberty to shut up the land between the land that was formerly Mr. Smith's and his own land in the place where his fence now stands leaving 600 or 700 ft to open if people pass on to go down and this to be during the Town's pleasure.

voted at the same meeting, Jonathan Sprague had may keep the land onchift between the
 Ditch and his own land, meeting as was formerly granted, and the Daring the towns place
 also voted at the same meeting, that John Eames shall have liberty to keep onchift the
 land where he hasd turnips for two year there or to remove it the breadth of the yard
 if he see cause and leave out that which is now called

At a town meeting June the 11th 1705 The town made choice of Nathaniel Freeman and John Paine to serve on the jury of vigils at the next court at Braintree

at the same meeting the Town made choice of Jeremiah Smith Senior
for pond keeper for the present year

at the same meeting the town voted that Thomas Mayo and should should
 view and settle the accounts between the town and Joseph Doan with respect
 to what he had received and paid as town treasurer.

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Richard Chadwell of Sandwidge hath one blacke mare wth a white
star in the forehead & a white snip on the right marked wth a crop on
the left ear, more one yearling horse coult^r of a blackish color
wth a star in the forehead & one horse coult^r wth a blaze downe the face
were driven from Eastham: the 20th day of Maye by Richard Chadwell
in the year 1659

Richard Chadwell one blacke bay horse wth a white ~~star~~ ^{blaze}
downe the face his right foot behind white & marked on the left
ear wth a crop about the age of four years was ransd away
from Eastham by Richard Chadwell: the 2th of June: 1659
Carred away by Richard Chadwell one black mare wth a star
in the forehead & a crop on each ear & a black mare coult^r
in a horse of 3 years old wth a crop on each ear: wth were
marked for strays: March: 8th: 1660 ates 61

March: 28th
1660.

Sturton Shiff ransd away one brown bay horse of Mr Dillingham
of Sandwidge: March: wth ~~luminous~~ ^{white} star on the face & a blaze downe
the face & the right foot before & the left behind white mare four
years old

Mr Thomas Allen of Barenstable hath one bay mare wth the
both foot behind white & a slit cut in her right ear almost
at the top & a little of the top of the pore cut off: more one
bay horse. Coult^r wth a slot on each side the top of the left ear
wth a white blaze downe the face & both foot before white & the left
foot behind more one grayish horse Coult^r wth a blaze downe the
face & noe more marks: were all Carred away by Thomas
Allen to Barenstable for Mr Allen's use. December: 23rd: 1659

Carred away by Mr Josiah Dymbarre one blacke Gray horse wth a
white star downe his face & a slit on the top of the left ear & an H
on the left shoulder & one dunish horse wth a white face & a blot on the
56 ~~left~~ ^{right} foot & a slit on the top of the left ear & an H on the
left shoulder: more 3 years old wth horses are Captained Joshua
Dymbarre & were delivered to order from Edward Langes March:
25th: 61

(1) Richard Bishop 1 horse. tall of a grayish color a blaze ^{young} on his face and two white
 on the forelegs the right hand the rear foot white and blind marked with E on
 the fawn shoulder September 2 1856 this horse sold to Joseph Cooke
 this 3 day of August 1859 Junior

Mac a Reddish horse tall fairly a white on his face running narrow
 toward the nose and white upon the nose and two white on the
 fore side the fawn ear this 2 day of October 1856
 blind marked with E on the fawn shoulder

(1000)

Galtman December 1855
 John H. Galtman
 Galtman

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M^r William [unclear] away two horses. The 2 [unclear] of three years old [unclear]. The one a [unclear] horse with a white blaze down the face & a [unclear] cut down the left ear. The other a [unclear] with a white blaze down the face & a [unclear] cut down the top of the left ear.

M^r Collins: [unclear] away one moult June min & a blackish mare. Countess [unclear] with a slit down the top of the left ear. November 1659.

March: first [unclear] had one [unclear] away about 5 years old with a white blaze down the face & both feet behind white & a hole in the right ear.

June: the 25th 61 [unclear] away by Job Cook. [unclear] his order two horses of m^r Collins to Nicholas Dams of Lashall. one black one with a blaze down his face & 4 white feet & one red one with a blaze down the face & the nose foot [unclear] white & the right foot behind & both marked with a slit down the top of the right ear.

At a town meeting on the 12th day of November 1705
Long meeting was held to take care about setting a school master in the town he being invited down by the school
the town over the town then made choice of Samuel
Chapman and Joseph Dean to agree with and [unclear]
the school of [unclear] to certify and fulfill and
the town do not object to the premises to all intents &
purposes voted at the [unclear]

At a town meeting October the 12th 1705
the Agents chosen by the town to settle the difference between
the town of Eastham and the town of [unclear] or proprietors
of [unclear] having reference to winning the dividing part of the town
and proprietors of [unclear] (viz) Samuel Dean and Joseph
Dean at the above town meeting gave account to the town that they
had agreed with the proprietors of [unclear] that the line between the
town of Eastham and [unclear] as formerly reported but that all the land lying
between the bounds of the town and [unclear] was [unclear] part of the town
and to the [unclear] of [unclear] [unclear] to appoint [unclear] the
march of the [unclear] River at [unclear] [unclear] to its [unclear] of the
land of [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] to be improved in [unclear] [unclear]
the town of Eastham and [unclear] with some other [unclear] and con
dition as [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]
[unclear] that the town of Eastham should pay to the proprietors of the
land two pounds and ten shillings [unclear] at the above town meet
ing and that they approved of what they had [unclear] on and that
therefore the said men of the town are [unclear] ordered to give [unclear]
that [unclear] be paid out of the town [unclear] at the time when
which [unclear] shall agree upon

in Eastham
 At a Town meeting October 12th 1705
 the Agents chosen by the Town to settle the difference between
 the Town of Eastham and the Town and proprietors or proprietors
 of ~~Harwich~~ Harwich on the Southern or westerly part of the Town
 of Eastham with reference to running the dividing line between the Town
 and proprietors. & Agents (viz) Samuel Knowle, Samuel Mayo and Joseph
 Dean at the above Town meeting gave account to the Town that they
 had agreed with the proprietors of Harwich that the line between the
 Town of Eastham and Harwich as to the Jurisdiction of the Town
 shall for ever remain as formerly reported but that all the land lying be
 the bounds of the Town and a line run from the western part of the pond
 near said to the Southward of James makers ^{poor} to appoint near the
 mouth of the Herring River at Chequisset a little to the westward of the
 land of Samuel Cole should forever be to be improved in come between
 the Town of Eastham and Harwich with some other considerations and con
 ditions as shall appear in their articles of agreement and in consideration
 thereof that the Town of Eastham should pay to the proprietors of Har
 wich two pounds and ten shillings, the Town at the above Town meet
 ing voted that they approved of what they had concluded on and that
 therefore the select men of the Town are hereby ordered to give order
 that the money be paid out of the Town Treasury at the time when
 which the agents shall agree upon

At a Town meeting on the 12th day of November 1705
 being a meeting warned to take care about settling a school
 master in the Town he being invited down by the Town by
 the Towns order the Town then made choice of Samuel
 Mayo, Samuel Paine and Joseph Dean to agree with and settle
 the School-master (whose name is Ebenezer White) and the
 Town does oblige it self hereby to ratify and fulfill and
 conform what they do with respect to the promises to all intents &
 purposes voted at the said meeting

At a Town meeting on the 12th day of November 1705
 being a meeting warned to take care about settling a school
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 the Towns order the Town then made choice of Samuel
 Mayo, Samuel Paine and Joseph Dean to agree with and settle
 the School-master (whose name is Ebenezer White) and the
 Town does oblige it self hereby to ratify and fulfill and
 conform what they do with respect to the promises to all intents &
 purposes voted at the said meeting

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at a town meeting July the 30th 1705 voted that the town would
 chuse three men as agents in the towns behalf to manage the bu-
 siness about setting the line between Eastham town and Harwich
 at the same meeting the town accordingly made choice of Mr
~~Samuel Knowles Joseph Doan and Samuel Mayo Senior as agents~~
~~for the same purpose and the same was done~~
 Granted to Mr Samuel Trout at a town meeting on the thir-
 tieth day of July 1705 the land that his now then now stands
 upon

X At the above sd town meeting (viz) July the thirtieth 1705
 the town made choice of Samuel Knowles Joseph Doan and
 Samuel Mayo Senior as agents for the town of Eastham to
 act in the towns behalf with reference to setting the bounds
 or dividing line between the Township of Eastham and the town-
 ship and propriety or propriety of Harwich on the southern
 or western part of the town of Eastham and what the sd Samuel
 Knowles Joseph Doan and Samuel Mayo shall legally do with
 reference to the premises the sd town of Eastham doth hereby ob-
 lige themselves it self to ratify and confirm to all future
 constructions and purposes as if done by sd town
 voted July the 30th 1705 Attest John Pain Town Clerk

at a town meeting July the 30th 1705 Mr Trout agreed with
 the town of Eastham to take his salary in broking money at
 the rate that it now passes at which will at eight shillings
 of ounce too provided that money be not prohibited from passing
 at that rate before the first day of march next ensuing but if
 it be prohibited for passing before that time then the town to
 make it up voted at the above sd town meeting

July the 30th 1705 voted that the selectmen make avails of
 sixty five pounds at 15 penny weight or eight shilling p ounce too
 and also that sd selectmen make avails of ~~30~~ thirty pounds
 to defray necessary town and county charges in money at sd same
 rate

Granted to Mr Samuel Knowles the trees that grow above his
 field by his now dwelling house between the way that goes from
 Eastham to Harwich and the way that goes above sd Knowles
 field by his house which was grows in orange the southern end of
 them lying about west from his barn and the northern end of
 sd trees lying near the northern end of sd Knowles field by his
 dwelling house

at a town meeting September the 28: 1705: the town voted that the two
 parcels of upland laid out by the negative man to George Brown Senior in law
 of his money part of meadow which he should have had in the division of meadow
 in the year 1703 shall be Recorded to him his heirs and assigns for ever

At a town meeting on the 13th day of February 1705
 The town voted to chuse a committee to draw up some propositions to present
 to the town in order to settling and removing the school master

C Carved away by William Walter one vixen mair of John
Smith of plymouth marked with a ~~pon~~ ^{pon} cut out of the Side
of each ear & burne marked one the left hip with IS & one
Coast sinking here. June the beginning 1660.

More Carved away & order of Thomas Daine one Black mair
of John Smith of plymouth marked with a ~~pon~~ ^{pon} cut out of the
Side of each ear & burne marked one the left hip with
IS & one Black mair Coast August the 10th 1661.

C Samuell gives our rough horse boat a rough ~~canoe~~ with
a star in the fore head marked with a slit one the top of the left ear
& two: slits cut in the side of the right ear. June: 1th 1652.

John Joye Junr^r traded away one horse of Samuell Digges hogye & Drabidge of a Bay Goude wth a white streak down the face both the boxes of his ears cut off. Junory 25: 1659.

Bought by John Thomson of Basle. of Samuell & Co. one Barbits
maire & a mair coult. Suckling here & marked with a star in the fore head &
one white foot & one slit in the top of the left ear. & two slits cut
in the hinder side of the ear. Cared away by John Thomson May
the third 1661.

Samuel Hixs hath given into the hands of Joseph Cook for
the use of the Towne a horse of a year old that now
runs about Mansfield or thereabout in company
of his mares & horses that are running thereabout and
John Jones Junior hath offered to take him for the
above said use of the Towne. Entered this 22th of March
that so he may be marked for the Towne.

Carried away one Sooth. horse of m^{rs} Eiges. near 4 years old. white
star in the forehead & burne marked with an H on the left shoulder & a halfe
crown on the right one. Carried away by m^r Josiah Subart & order from
Edward Bungs. March: 26th 61.

Camped away by Jonathan Sparrow for mth Herts
old with a white blaze in his face and 3 white feet a year out of the
new ears and under marked with H on the new shoulder May the 1st 1663

Whereas there is much disorder and inconvenience hapneth within the town of Eastham
by reason of persons not orderly attending Town Meetings according to warning as also by persons
disorderly or tumultuously speaking in sd meetings when convened and met as also by disorderly
speaking in sd meetings without leave for presentation of sd Cause ordered by this Town
and that hereby ordered and enacted by the Town of Eastham and voted at a Town meeting
may be the 26th 1702 that when and so often as there shall be a Town
meeting orderly warned according to usual Customs of this Town every person qualified
for voting in the meeting and living by common reputation within ten miles of the place
anyhow that sd Town shall be kept in quietness appointed or at time of calling over
shall be kind expense for every such default and every person qualified for voting as above
that shall depart without leave orderly obtained. Every person breaking up a meeting shall be a
like kind expense for every such default and it is also further ordered at the same Town
meeting that there shall be one person at every Town meeting within this Town (whereat shall
be chosen of sd assembly to be managed) one most person at sd meeting chosen for
moderator of sd assembly to be chosen of sd assembly to be kept and preserved and every person
that shall presume to speak without leave obtained of sd moderator or that shall
disorderly speak in speaking after he is bid or silence ordered by sd moderator every person
shall be fined by the officers with such delinquents proportion in the next rate or assessment
made in sd Town and to be gathered by the Constable for sd repaying Town charges only if sd next
rate or assessment be made within ten days after such fine hapneth then to be added in the next
rate after that so persons fined for not coming to Town meeting may have time to make sd
rate or show of reasons for their not coming to sd meeting which if they do within ten days
to the officers give such reasons for their non attendance as is or shall be to the satisfaction of
sd officers they shall then be quit of their fine

These above written orders and bylaws were agreed on and voted and ordered to be put up to
the Court of quarter Sessions for approbation as if law directs at a Town meeting in Eastham
May the 26th 1702 as Attest John Paine Town Clerk

These by laws are allowed by the
Justices Sitting in Sessions at Bury
table July 10th 1702

This above written is faithfully true
derived out of original
and thereunto compared

Attest John Paine Town Clerk

Attest John Bassett Clerk

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C — Nathaniel Baker of Engam one 2d mare with a white streak
 down the side were marked with a H one the one the right hip with one
 horse front neck and
 mare one black mare with one white foot before & one behind of a white snip
 on the nose & were marked with a H one left hip & one mare count
 Sucking here were bound by a way of Nathaniel Baker about the middle
 of May in the year 1659
 Carried away by Nathaniel Baker one Gray mare bound marked
 with H one the right hip & one Gray mare marked with V & one
 Gray horse bound marked with H one the left hip March 13. 60
 Carried away by Nathaniel Baker one Sorrell mare with a black in the face
 marked with a V over the nose button & one blackish yearling with a black
 in the face marked with a V over the nose button & one more yearling
 blackish & rounder marked with a V the 22th of May in the year 1662

E of James Johnson of Marble head Carried away one
 M. 5 years. 5 years old one light Gray of 6 years
 5 years mare upwards of 4 years old one yearling horse count with a black
 one dark Gray 5 years old one yearling horse count with a black
 in the face head of a white snip on the nose & one yearling mare
 count & one sucking count they were marked with a cross
 cut out under the side of the right ear & were all carried
 away the 14th of Aprill 1660
 Carried away by Nathaniel Baker of Mr. Francis Johnsons horse find three
 gray mares and one black mare and one blackish yearling all of
 them marked a cross cut out behind of the face ear the 22th
 of May 1662

48 Ebenezer Higgins the 3^d Ear mark of his Creature
is as followeth viz is a Slant of the upper side
the Left Ear two nicks in the Slant and half
a Crop on the upper side the Right Ear
Entered the 10 day of february 1763
Edward Knowlton Town Clerk

The Ear mark of the Creature of Jesse Cole is
a half Crop under the Right Ear and a Nick the
upper side the Left Recorded February 21 day 1764
Edward Knowlton Town Clerk

The Ear mark of the Creature of Joshua Downe is
a hole in Each Ear and a Crop of the Left Ear and a nick
the upper side the Right Ear Recorded March 4th 30 Day 1768
Joshua Downe Town Clerk 09

The Ear mark of Druse Rogers his Creature is
a hole in Each Ear Recorded July the 1st 1769
per me Joshua Downe Clerk

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M^{rs} Laithrop of Larneston one main ~~feature~~ of two year old
C. is the back of a roach color or nearly of color with both hwe feet
behind white & a white streak down the ~~flank~~ the left ~~necks~~ white &
burns marked with a M on the left shoulder the head of the M stand
ing towards the head of the main.

marked for m^{rs} Laithrop one yearling horse of a roach color & bred white
one the right branded with an E one the ~~more~~ ~~marked~~ standing thus ITS August 26-61

David Jones Ear mark for his Creators
is a slit in the top of each ^{and two nicks under the} left ear
April 5: 1749 pr Thomas Knowles senior Clerk

David Bryans Ear mark is a slit in the top of the
left ear and two nicks in the under side of the right
ear Entered May 4: 1749 pr Thomas Knowles senior Clerk

Edward Knowles Ear mark for his Creators is
a diamond on the right ear
Entered January 15: 1749 pr Thomas Knowles senior Clerk

Salomon Snows Ear mark of his Creators is a Crop of the
top of the right ear and a napage cut the under side
the left ear and a slit in the band of the same ear
Entered January 17: 1749 pr Thomas Knowles senior Clerk

Michael McKerson Ear mark for his Creators is
a happy cut cut the under side the right ear and a
nick cut in the under side the left ear
Entered January 29: 1750/51 pr Thomas Knowles senior Clerk

Josiah Sears Ear mark for his Creators is a Crop of the
left ear and a hollow Crop of the top of the right ear
Entered September 17: 1752 pr Thomas Knowles senior Clerk

ms Lathrops made on the contrary side was cut
away in September in charge the Judge by the order of
ms Lathrops but now she is come again August 25th 1681.

Thomas Cooks ear mark of his creature is a half penic cut out
the under side of the ear hear & a slit in the end the left ear & a nick
in the fore side the right ear entered february 18: 1738/9

Abner Jones ear mark of his creature is a crop off the top of the
right ear & a half penic cut the under side the left ear & a slit in
the end of the same ear entered february 18: 1738/9

Ebenezer Browns ear mark of his creature is a half penic
cut out the under side the right ear & a nick cut in the under
side the left ear entered february 23: 1738/9

Stephen son of Stephen Jones his ear mark of his creature is
a crop off the top of each ear & a half penic cut out the fore
side the left ear entered the 28th Day of february 1740/41

William Walker junr his ear mark of his creature is a half crop
in the top of the fore side of each ear Recorded the 16 Day of march 1740/41

Jonath Coles ear mark of his creature is a crop off the top of the left ear
and a half crop in the top of the under side the right ear & a nick in the upper side
entered march the 16: 1743/4

Jesse Smiths Ear mark of his creature is a crop off the top of
the left ear and a slit in the top of the rite ear which was
the mark of his father John Smith deceased entered June 1744

Henry Waughs Ear mark of his creature is a hollow crop of
the top of the right ear and a nick the under side the same ear
entered June of 21th 1744

Amos Knowles Ear mark of his creature is a hollow crop
off the top of each ear which was the mark of his
father Samuel Knowles deceased entered 7th Day of
November 1744

William Riches Ear mark of his creature is a crop of
the right ear and a half penic the upper and under
side of the same ear and a hole in the left ear
entered the 22nd of march 1748/9 pr Thomas Knowles son of Mr

C 111
M^r Thomas Clark of Plymouth one Sordill mare with a white
May 19th 1659 Skerke down the face burne marked with a T the right Shoulder
is aloth you cut out of the right ear & a lotoh you cut out
under the left ear adjoyn^t three year old or three a bones.

more one ^{mare} colt of a Sordill color with a slit cut slanting down the side
of the right ear & a slit cut slanting down the side of the left ear & a
lotoh pore of the ear cut off on the lower side of the slit marked
the 19th of May 1659

Marked for m^r Clark one Black mare Count & name of
his old Black mare marked with a slit down the right ear & a
little pore cut off of the pore it was slit & a little pore
cut out of the side of the left ear. August 10th 1661

more one horse Count a red one with a slit down the right
ear & a little pore of the top of it was slit cut off
& a pore cut out of the side of the left ear August 10th 1661

marked by Joseph Cooke a Brown Bay mare of two years old after
in the forehead a half ^{on the nose} on the nose ear 19th December 1666
more a red horse of the same age a star in the forehead a half
crop on the head ear
more a red horse colt a blaze down his face and a half crop
on the nose ear 19th December 1666

A horse colt of a brownish colour a star in the forehead
marked with a half crop on the nose ear at the Cape this
came of the young Brown mare at the Cape this found of
January 1668

A horse colt of a bay colour a blaze down the face
found white dots both eyes walled a half crop on the nose
and this 10 March 1668 at 69

The March of Benjamin Joane. 18
a Crop of the right Ear and two wicks found
in the Crop received from Peter Snod Clerk
June the 11. 1760

by an agreement made between John Clark and Joseph
Cook Junior who agreed that is to plant upon a book of
Joseph Cook's Sontow there be marked those following
harkens by Joseph Cook
 Ensigns — one reddish horse with a star in the forehead and a
broad white upon his nose and a half crop on the near
dare this 19th December 1666

more a blackish mare with a gray taylor white down by
face narrow, you want broad down the nose the near eye
is a waller by near foot behind white a half crop on
the near dare January 17th 1666

more a blackish mare of two years old and vantage with a fair star in
the forehead the near eye waller with a half crop on the
near dare February 23th 1666

more a blackish rolt being a mare rolt with a hairy eye out
which with dare at his dam's side February 23th 1666

more some blackish mare of two years old a little white blaze in the
face near foot behind white and the inside of the two fairer feet
white a half crop of the right dare a piece cut out behind the
left dare March the 4th 1666

more one yearling mare blackish a fair star in the forehead the
near foot behind white a grayish taylor a half crop on the right
dare a piece cut out behind the left dare March the 4th 1666

more one gray horse three years old taken up for my self and
marked with a split on both ears at top this horse is good to Sam Allen

more one yearling mare a blackish mare the left dare behind a little piece
out and the right dare behind a bigger piece cut out

more one mare rolt a bay to have a little white star in the forehead
with a half crop on the right dare a piece cut out on the near
dare March 18th 1666

more one horse a year and vantage a blackish rolt with a half
crop on the right dare a piece cut out on the near dare June the 3rd 1667

more one reddish horse rolt a fair star in the forehead a white
blaze on the nose a half crop on the near dare July 1st 1667

more a white horse three years old marked at the tape with a
marked for my self October the 6th 1667

more a dunish blackish mare five years old marked at the
tape a half crop on the near dare January 2nd 1668
 And a mare rolt of a dunish blackish rolt that came of
the above said mare three white feet the two hind feet
and the near foot behind and marked at the tape with a
half crop on the near dare and this rolt had a longish
white on the face and the white is small down the broad
white to the right nostril this ground of June 1668

Mr. John Mayo: Senior. has one rough main to the abate down
the fore both feet behind which a lot of gore cut out of the right side
I have marked with an E on the left shoulder with the long shank
upward to the open side down ward. entered June the 1st 1859.
more one rough main could with a whole blade down the right
to a lot of gore cut out of the right side & have marked on
the right shoulder with an E on the long side upward to the open side
down ward. June the 1st 1859.

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Robert ffiney of Plymouthe: one Chefnut Coloured mare
with a white streak downe the face. & bropt one both sides
more one Blackish Coloured mare wth a white streak downe the
face. & bropt one both sides. & one horse bought yt swabed the
Blackish mare, were barnd a way from Eastham: the 2th of
by John ffiney of Barnstable: 1659

Josiah Edgell raised away one red horse of Robert ffiney marked wth a red
one the right side & a white one the left wth a blaze & white his face
& both feet be hind white & his right foot before: may 30th 1660

August 2
1660. & Carried by an Indian: named Mungah one browne mare marked wth a
pen cut out of the side of the right side & one horse Count for
John ffiney of Barnstable
The browne mare & horse Count above mentioned & a red horse of the same
old wth a pen cut out of the left side & a horse Count were Carried
away by Indians order: June the 4th 1661:

C

Laph. Smily hath one good bald mare Coult bought of Edward Banges. wh four white feet & marked with a slit down the top of the right ear & a slit almost on the top of the left ear & burne marked on the right shoulder with E. February 28. 157.

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More one mare coult with a white face. four white feet. and marked with a slit down the top of the right ear. and a slit almost on the top of the left ear. burne marked on the right shoulder with E. July 30. 62

More one reddish horse about six years old with a starre in the forehead and a white blaze down his face and two white speckles upon his nose. thigh and burne marked with E on the right shoulder his 1st John 1664

More one mare coult of a dunish colour a white blaze down her face three white feet and both eyes tooth and burne marked with E on the face shoulder this 20 of June 1664

More one horse tall of a whitish colour one wall eye a blaze down his face four white feet a slit down the top of the right ear and a slit on the left inner ear and burne marked with E on the right shoulder this 4 of August 1665

More one mare of a brownish bay colour a hole in the nose ear a starre in the forehead a blackish mane and tail and burne marked with E on the face shoulder October the 20th 1666

More one old mare bought of Katharine Coult. a year or behind the right ear a ~~white~~ ^{white} foot behind white and a roll of a light grey colour a crop on the right ear and the nose foot behind white and burne marked with E on the face shoulder July the 25th 1668

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James hath one red mare two year old & Granting
with a white blaze & one blue face narrow in the middle & the left
foot before a white & a little pore cut out of the side of
each ear & burns marked on the right shoulder with an E. the
more one mare brunt with a little blaze & one blue face narrow in the middle & the left
foot before a white & a little pore cut out of the side of each ear & a
couple & burns marked with an E on the right shoulder. the 11th of
February 1657

More Mark Snow hath one Dungh horse. Colt with a ^{white} ~~face~~ ^{in his forehead}
broadest below & a little star above the nose eye walls marked
with a slit one two of each & two on the nose one on of
each side burns marked with E on the right shoulder. October
18th 1661

More one Sorrel horse 4 year old & nant edge 10th a white
blaze in his face broadest below & marked with a little pore cut
out of the side of each ear & burns marked with an E on
the right shoulder. October 18th 1661

More Mark Snow one horse. Colt of a Dungh Colour the face ear of close
to the head the nose ear half cut off a pretty big flame in the fore
head Burns marked with E on the right shoulder the 22th of
the month. 1662

From the north-west now Mark Brown hath sold to Nicholas Snow the
road mairs & on the roadway side was two great oaks and barlows with a white
blaze down her face and the left fork left and white and a little piece
cut out of the side of the bark bark behind and burned mark with E on the
right shoulder this 30th of March 1663.

The mark of Isaac Higgins is a glante
of the fore side of the Left Ear 2 nicks
in the glante a half penny under the Right
Ear recorded June the 8th 1759
Wm Gale New Town Clerk

The Ear mark of the creature of David
Knowles is a flet in the top of the Right
Ear and half penny in the upper side of the
Right Ear Recorded July 16th 1765
Edward Knowles Town Clerk

The Ear mark of the creature of Isaac Sparrow is a Crop
of the Right Ear and a nick under the same Recorded
January 23rd 1767 Edward Knowles Town Clerk

The Ear mark of Jonathan Twining is a half Crop under side
the Right Ear and half penny under the same and half penny
upper side the Left Ear Recorded January 23rd 1767
Edward Knowles Town Clerk

The Ear Mark of Samuel Rogers a Half Crop Back Side Each Ear
June 4th 1768 Entered by me Joshua Daine Town Clerk

October 4th 1770 Isaac Higgins his Ear mark a Crop of the top of the Right
and a hole in the Left Ear Entered for me Joshua Daine Town Clerk

John Mayo: hath one Sorrell mare with a little white
Jan: 29 1666 in the face & burne marked one the left hip with
burne marked one the right shoulder with E
Jan: 29 1666 More one Black mare with a ^{large} E on the front standing thus W
Jan: 29 1666 one horse of a blackish color burne marked 10th an E on
the right shoulder & two flits one the of side of the right ear
& both feet both white
More one whitest mare Bult marked with two flits one the
of side of the right ear & burne marked one the right
foreleg with E January 29 1666

More one Foxe Gray mare. Wh was the one half John Smalys.
This mare now wholly John Mayos. by way of exchange for a young mare & a
is sent to horse Court of Come of it mare. the mare is marked with a
John Smalys. hold in the right ear. burne marked with a E standing the wrong
Junior and end upwards & a E on the right shoulder, & a star in the fore
Daniel Smalys. head with a whitish nose, & John Smaly is to give John Smayo
Twenty shillings for the exchange ff 20th 9th 1660.

More one Iron gray horse sold burne marked with E on the right shoulder
and put two flits on the of ear and a star in the fore head with
a white flit running down to the nose. This 22 of Decemb: 1662
More one blackish roulow mare sold with a white speck on the
nose burne marked with E on the right shoulder and two flits
on the of ear. Decemb: 22th 1662

Joseph Harding & Abigail Dore hath one bay mare 33
 of two year old & draught. with a white blaze downe the
 face & a slit downe the top of the right ear & two slits
 downe the side of the left ear & burne. Marked one the left hip
 with an E. December 10th 1659

1 Joseph Harding hath one sorrell young mare with a ^{years and visage} ^{white} flaze
 in her forehead out out of the top of the nose and a little piece and
 a slit behind the face and burne marked on the face right
 shoulder with E August 1st 1662

More one mare of three year old of a mouse colour a white slip on the
 top of the nose out out of the top of the nose and a little piece and a slit
 behind the face and a grizzle mane and burne marked on the right shoulder
 with E february the 24th 1667 the right foot behind white

Shuren Atwood hath one blackish mare Count 10th a
 fine star in the face head & a little streak downe the
 forehead & marked one the right ear with two slits
 downe both side of the top of the ears & burne marked
 with an E one the left hip December 12th 1659

More one horse of a reddish color with a flaze in the forehead
 and marked on the right ear with two slits downe both side of the top
 of the ears and burne marked with E on the right shoulder
 4th of January 1663 alias 64

C. This M^rs. More on the contrary side than ^{was} ~~the~~ ^{her} ~~husband's~~ ^{own} ~~refuge~~
Hunting and Abigail Jones is by ~~an~~ ^a ~~written~~ ^{verbal} agreement between
them Abigail Jones More. This 9th of July 1663.

C. Joseph Rogers Sent hath one browne bay mare
one year old & branded with a halfe Crop one
the top of the right ear & burne marked one the neare hip
with E. December: 6th 1659

February 22th 1659 move one browne horse near two year old with nose white with a halfe
Crop one the top of the right ear & burne marked one the right hip
with an E.

June the last one Dunstⁿ mare Colt with a Star in the forehead & a little
1660. white snip one the nose running towards the left neck with a halfe
Crop one the right ear & burne marked one the
right Shoulder with E

August 29th 1660. move one browne mare with a little white on one hux right foot behind
& a halfe Crop one the top of the right ear & burne marked
one the right Shoulder with an E

August 29th 1660. move one Black mare Colt both foot behind white ears marked
with a halfe Crop one the right ear & burne marked with
an E one the right Shoulder.

March 2th 1662 move one mare Colt a year old of a Gas Brownish bay colour
with a little white in the forehead and a xesse out of the top of
the ^{outer} right ear and burne with E on the right Shoulder
which was bought of John Young and marked with an R on the
right Buttocks.

August 29th 1664 move one mare Colt of a roanish colour with a halfe
Crop on the right ear and burne marked with E on the
right Shoulder

C. Joseph Rogers Junr hath one Browne mare of
ayre & Cranidge. He bought of m^r John Barnes marked
the nose below wth F.B & a halfe Crap on the
right ear & not white. Barnes marked on the right
shoulder wth an E. Decemb^r 2^d. 1659

Sufana Rogers hath a yearling mare of a brownish
colour wth a halfe crop on the right ear & a nithe under
nearly the same top and burn marked wth an E on
the right shoulder. a blackish horse roll a halfe crop
on the nose ear & a little nithe under the halfe
crop and burn marked on the right shoulder wth E.
the 14 of June 1662

A colt of a brownish Colour wth a halfe crop on the left
ear & a nithe under nearly the top and burn marked wth an E
on the right shoulder August the 31st 1666

Stephen Snow a blackish mare roll a white stroke in her face a
few gray hairs on her taylor a halfe crop and a flitt under the top on the
left ear and burn marked wth E on the right shoulder. October 20

Stephen Snow a blackish mare roll a few white hairs
in the forehead a halfe crop on the nose ear and a flitt
in the same ear and burn marked wth E on the same side
August 15 1667

Stephen Snow a blackish mare roll a few white hairs in the forehead
a halfe crop on the nose ear and a flitt behind the same ear and
burn marked wth E on the same shoulder. Octob^r 11th 1668

Noah Poane's ear mark for his creatures
is a nick the under side of the upper side
of the right ear and a half penny under the
left Recorded March 29 - 1761

Samuel Higgins ear mark a crop of the kicke Ear
a slit in the crop a half penny under the same Ear
a slit in the eard of the left Ear and a nick under
the left Ear Recorded June 17 - 1770

James Linkhornes ear mark is a slit crop of the Right Ear and
half penny under the Right Ear and two half penny under the Left Ear - of
Recorded May 30: 1771

Elisha Poane ear mark is a hole in
Each Ear Recorded October 24: 1771

Isaac Coker ear mark for his creatures is
a half penny under side of the Right Ear
and a nick under side of the same Ear next
to the head Recorded November 4: 1771

William Myrick Juner ear mark for his creatures is
two half penny the upper side of Left Ear Record
February 19: 1772

John Knowles ear mark of his creatures is a slit
in the top of the left Ear and half penny
Recorded May 30: 1772

Willard Knowles Jr his ear marke for his creatures
is a slit in the top of Each Ear and a half penny
the upper side of the left Ear
Recorded June the 22nd 1772

Rehemiah Poane ear mark is a strate crop
of the Right Ear Recorded October 17: 1772

C. Edward Wigson hath one mare five years old & unbranded
nearest a light bay with a little white streak down the face
left eye out & there marked one the near hip with an O and
one the right shoulder with an E. November 28th 1659

Edward Wigson hath one blackish mare with a white blaze
down the face & both feet behind white & there marked one
the near hip with an O one year old & unbranded & there marked
one the near shoulder with an E. November 28th 1659

More one mare a year old & unbranded nearest a light bay
with a little star in the forehead & there marked on the left but
with an O & on the right shoulder with an E. February 6th 1659
More one mare black of aired color with a star in the forehead
& there marked one the left but with an O & one the right
shoulder with an E. February 6th 1659

More one blackish horse with a few white hairs in the forehead
& there marked one the left hip with an O & one the right shoulder
with an E. March 6th 1659. Ash: 60.

More one horse of three years old and bay of a roanish color a white star
in the forehead and there marked on the left buttocks with an O and one the right
shoulder with an E. December the 5th 1663

More one black horse years old and unbranded with a star in the forehead
and a white foot behind on the near side and there marked with an O on
the left buttocks and on the right shoulder with an E. December the 5th 1663

More one horse of a brownish bay with a star in the forehead
and there marked with an O on the left buttocks and on the right shoulder
with an E. December the 5th 1663

The mark of Benjamin Knowles for
his creatures is a half crop each side of the
left which leave the middle of the ear as a
pendant Recorded February 24th 1664

The ear mark of the creatures of Nathan Boone
is a starle crop of the Right ear and two half crops
of the Left ear leaving the middle of the ear as a
pendant Recorded January 26th 1668

The ear mark of William Higgins is a slanting piece of the fore side
of the Right ear and a nick in the slant and a slit in the top of the
Left and nick under side of Left ear
Entered April 4th 1669

1/ The Ear mark for his creature is
a notch on the top of the right ear and a notch
the fore of the same ear.

Entered December 6: 1756 for Thomas Kinsley Son of C.

Elasha Smith ear mark for his creature is a crop of the top
of the left ear and a slit in the top of the right ear and ^{one} half
penny ~~and one notch the under side the right ear~~

Recorded January 22: 1757

Solomon Jones ear mark is a hollow crop of the
top of the left ear and a hole in the right ear - it
Entered May 11: 1757

Freeman Higgins ear mark for his creature is a slanting
crop on the under side the left ear from the head to the end
of the ear and a hole in the right ear
Entered June 17: 1757

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The ear mark of Elkanah Higgins is a
slant of fore side of the left ear and a
notch in the slant and straight crop off the
right ear and a slit in the fore side
of the right ear Recorded February 29: 1764

The ear mark of the creature of Elkanah Linnel
is two half pence the under side of the left ear
and a crop of the right Recorded March 25: 1765

Samuell ffresoman hath one browne bay mare wth a sh
diamond waips in here forehead & a little white snip below
here nostrills & no care marks burne marked one the
nose but with an E: nomenclat 5th 1652

More one dunigh black mare Count with a white blaze
downe here face broad above the eyes & a white hoofs burne
marked with an E one the right shoulder June 29 1661

More one dunigh color horse colt with two white feet and a flitt
of white one the nose nostrill and burne a hole in the neere ear also
burne with an E on the farrs shoulder January the 27 1662

John Goare Juners mark for his creatures
is one neck under each ear and one neck the
farside of the right ear and a hole in the
left ear Recorded april 27 1761

This mare
died in the
year 1660:

William Moreish hath one blackish mare about four years
old with a little white spot one the left hip & a crop one the left ear
& burne marked one the right shoulder with an E February 1661

Thomas Williams hath one young mare bought of Goodman
Bangs of a black color a year & a half old with a broad blaze
downe the face & a white foot the nose eye wale & a slit downe
the box of the right ear & a hole in the same ear & burne
marked with E one the right shoulder 25th 1660

More one mare colt of a reddish color and white feet the same
with a hole in the right ear and flitt on top of the same
ear burne marked on the right shoulder with E on the 22th
and a blaze downe her face
More one horse colt of a dunigh color and white feet and
a blaze downe the face and a flitt downe the top of the right ear and a
hole in the same ear and burne marked with E on the right shoulder
1662

More one horse colt of a reddish color the neere foot
behind white and a blaze in his face a flitt downe on the top of
the farrs ear and a hole burne in the same ear and burne
marked with E on the farrs shoulder the 12th September 1665

More one mare colt of a bayish color a white blaze downe
the face the nose a little broader upon a flitt on the top of the
farrs ear and a hole burne on the same ear and burne
marked with E on the farrs shoulder 25th September 1666

the ear mark of Joseph Freeman is a nick
in the under side the left ear Entered May 22: 1750

the ear mark of William F. Bishop is a
half crop of the fore side the right ear
Entered September 9: 1750

the ear mark of Barnabas Rogers is a hollow
Crop of the top of the left ear and a nick in the
upper side the right ear a caught the middle of
the ear Entered November 4: 6: 1750

the ear mark of Oliver Ory is a half crop
the fore side the right ear and 2 nicks the
fore side the same ear Entered January 5: 1752

the ear mark of ~~John~~ Phinias Smith is a half crop
on the fore side of the right ear and a half penny on
the under side the left ear Recorded June 6: 1752

the ear mark of James ~~Choon~~ Choon is a half crop on
the under side of the right ear and a half penny on the fore
side of the left ear Recorded January 22: 1753

the ear mark of theophilus Liggins is a slant crop of
the upper side the left ear and a nick in the crop and a
half penny under the same ear and a slit in the top of the
right ear Recorded May 7: 1753

~~The ear mark of Thomas Twining for his
creatures is a hollow crop on the right
ear and a strat crop on the left ear
Recorded March 14: 1761~~

The ear mark of Thomas Twining for his
creatures is a hollow crop on the right ear and a
sharp crop on the left ear

Entered January 18: 1764
Recorded by me Edward Knowles Town Clerk

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John Ranges one main butt of an Iron Key marked
with a star in the fore head a little nick one the out side of the
right ear borne marked one the nose but none with E. October 29. 1662

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More one black main about two years old with a white blaze from
the nose down ward beyond the eye & a few white hooves like a star
this mark was the
who: 3200000
June
& a slit down the top of the left ear & borne marked with
an E one the right shoulder. April 14th 1660.

More 1 blackish mare of two years old with a slit down the top of the
nose ear and a little nick cut out behind the right ear and
borne marked with E on the same shoulder. May the 12th 1662

More 1 moult color horse with a slit down the top of the nose
ear and a little nick cut out behind the right ear and borne marked
with E on the right shoulder. January 4th 1664.

~~the~~ Lewis Smiths Ear mark of his creature
a half crop of the under side of the
left ear and a slit in the top of the right ear
and a half penny the under side of the right ear
Entered April 1st 1747

The ear mark of Robert Pick a crop of the top of the right
ear and a half penny the under side the same ear

Henry At times hath one brown bay yearling mare bought
of Tho: Paine with a star in the fore head & a little white
one the left foot behind & a half crop one ear & borne
marked with E one the right shoulder. May 14th 1661

The Ear mark of the creature of Philip Higgins
a half penny the under side of the right ear and a slit in
the top of left and half penny on the fore side of the same ear
recorded 20 day of October 1747

The ear mark of Moses Cohoon is a half crop
the under side the right ear and two nicks in the
under side the same ear Entered February 9. 1752

October 10 1657 Richard Diggins hath one black colting wth a star in the forehead
& a little pore cut out of the skin of the right ear & burnt marked
one the right shoulder wth an E

Decemb^r 23 1657 Richard Diggins hath one little black mare wth was Feb^r Kooler
wth a blaze down the face & a little white hair a bushy hoof
before burnt marked wth a little slit cut in the right shoulder

Decemb^r 23 1659 More one young bay horse of a year & a half
in the forehead marked wth a little slit cut down the hinder side
of the right ear & a little pore cut out in the slit & burnt marked
one the right shoulder wth an E

Decemb^r 23 1659 More one weaver horse Coult wth a star in the fore head & the
nose foot to hind white marked wth a little slit cut in the hinder
side of the right ear & a little pore cut out in the slit &
burnt marked one the right shoulder wth an E

August 25 1660 one black mare Coult wth a little pore cut out of the side
of the right ear & a little slit cut in the ear

More one black mare now four year old wth a pore cut
starting of the hinder side of the right ear & a little slit
starting in it & burnt marked wth E one the right shoulder

July 9 1666 a reddish horse told marked wth a pore cut out of the
fore head and slit down with the neck burnt marked
wth E on the right shoulder

May 29 66 a reddish horse about a year old a white star in the
fore head a white stroke running down to the nose and
burnt marked wth E on the fore shoulder

Jonathan Doones ear mark for his creatures is a deep
furrows false cut in the top of the Right ear and a
piece of the hinder side of furrows twice cut off & two
ricks cut in the under side the left ear
Entered the 10 of April 1738

John Mayors ear mark for his creatures is a deep
a crop of the top of the Right ear & a half penic cut in the fore
side the same ear & a rick cut in the fore side the left ear
Entered January the second 1738/9

Richard Paines ear mark of his creatures is a nick in the under side of
the left ear Entered September 15 1740

George Browns ear mark of his creatures is a crop of the
top of the left ear & a slit in the crop & a nick the under
side the same ear Entered October 14 1740

George Wards ear mark of his creatures is a half crop
of the top of the hinder side of each ear Entered the 15 of March 1741

At a town meeting in Eastham on the 13th day of february
in order for the regular setting of schoolmaster in ~~the~~ town (1705/6)
for the publick benefit thereof it was agreed upon and voted that
the towns schoolmaster should settle three months in the neighbour-
hood of town four months in rocky neighbourhood two months at or
about the head of the Cove three months at the Ralfe-way
ponds and three months at Little Billingsgate at which shall be
regularly and incessantly attended and done before the towns
schoolmaster begin at the first specified place again and that the
three months already past which the schoolmaster hath kept school
in the ~~the~~ neighbourhood at town shall be for their first term and not
to begin again there untill the other parts of the town at aforesaid
have had their Respective turns as aforesaid.

at the same meeting (viz) february the 13th 1705/6
It was agreed upon and voted that the select men should make a
Rate or assessment on the Inhabitants of the town of about thirty
three pounds to defray the charges of the school in the town

Samuel Hardings ear mark of his creatures is a hollow crop off the top of the left ear
and a nick in the under side the right ear entered November the 15th 1741

John Jordan his ear mark of his creatures is two half pencies cut out the
under side the left ear & a half pencie cut out the upper side the same ear and a crop
off the top of the right ear entered May the 15th 1742

Isaac Hardings ear mark of his creatures is a hollow or forked crop cut out
of the top of each ear & a hole in the left ear entered february the 5th 1742/3

James Jnow his ear mark of his creatures is a half pencie in the upper side of
a half pencie on the lower side of the right ear & a half pencie the upper side
of the left ear entered february the 18th 1743/4

Richard Cooke his ear mark of his creatures a half penny cut out the inner side
of each ear & a slit in the top of the left ear & a hole in the right ear
entered September 22nd 1744

Richard Pine his ear mark for his creatures a slit cut off the fore side of the
left ear & a nick in the slit & a slit in the top of the right ear & a half penny in
the fore side of the right ear entered October 22nd 1744

William meyrick got his ear mark for his creatures a hollow crop of the top
of the right ear and a hole in the same ear it being the mark which was
formerly his father William meyricks
Entered April the 13th 1745

the ear mark of John Kiowes a straight crop of the top of the
left ear and a hole in each ear Entered march the 11th 1745/6

The mark of the cattle of George Williamson is a crop off the top of each ear and an half pony in the hinder side of the right ear recorded may y^e 28th 1722

The mark of the cattle of Jonathan Sparrow is a crop off the top of the right ear and a slit in the fore side of the same ear and a slit across in the fore side of the left ear recorded June y^e 2nd 1722

The mark of a cattle of Samuel Davis is a cross off the top of the left ear and two nicks in the under side of the same ear recorded June y^e 12th 1722

The mark of y^e cattle of Ebenezer Higgins is a piece cut off planting on the top of the left ear and two slits in y^e plant and a slit across in the fore side of y^e right ear recorded August y^e 3rd 1722

The mark of y^e cattle of Benjamin Fwood is a crop off the top of y^e right ear and a slit in y^e top of y^e left ear recorded February y^e 15th 1722/3

The mark of the cattle of Jonathan Mayo is two slits in y^e fore side of the right ear and a crop off the left ear recorded February y^e 15th 1722/3

The mark of a cattle of Jacob May is a crop off the top of the left ear and two slit nicks in the fore side of y^e same ear recorded February y^e 18th 1723

The mark of y^e cattle of William Mayo is a half crop on the under side of the top of the left ear and a nick in the hinder side of the same ear recorded May y^e 18th 1723

The mark of the cattle of Nathaniel Froome is a half pony in the back side of each ear and a half crop on the fore side of the top of the left ear recorded May y^e 22 1723

The mark of the cattle of Eliza Hamlin is a slit in the top of the left ear and a slit across in each side of the same ear recorded May y^e 24th 1723

The mark of y^e cattle of Eliza Higgins is a half crop on the under side of the top of the left ear and an half crop off the fore side of the top of the right ear and a nick in the fore side of y^e right ear about y^e middle of y^e ear recorded May y^e 30th 1723

The mark of the cattle of Eliza Higgins is a piece cut off planting on the top of the left ear and two slits in y^e plant and a slit across in the fore side of y^e right ear recorded May y^e 30th 1723

The mark of the cattle of George Smith is a crop off the top of each ear and a hole in the left ear. being the mark which was the first Thomas Smith recorded April 12th 1721

The mark of the cattle of Samuel Soane Smith is a crop off the top of the left ear and a hole in the hinder side of the right ear recorded April 15th 1721

The mark of the cattle of Isaac Merrick is a hollow crown of top of the left ear and a hole in the right ear recorded April 24th 1721

The mark of the cattle of Nathaniel Snow is a crop off the top of the right ear and an half pony in the back side of the left ear recorded May 24th 1721

The mark of the cattle of James Snow is a crop off the top of the left ear and a half pony in the fore side of the same ear and an half pony in the hinder side of the right ear recorded May 24th 1721

The mark of the cattle of Jonathan Snow is two half pones in the under or hinder side of the left ear and one half pony in the fore side of the right ear recorded June 1st 1721

The mark of the cattle of John Higgins Smith is a piece cut off slanting on the fore side of the top of the right ear and a slit in the front and a slit in the top of the left ear recorded June 4th 1721

The mark of the cattle of Thomas Hooker is a crop off the top of the right ear and a slit across about the middle of the same ear and an half pony in the hinder side of the left ear recorded April 24th 1722

The mark of the cattle of Israel Atwood is two slits in the top of the right ear and a slit across in the fore side of the left ear recorded April 14th 1722

The mark of the cattle of Mr Benjamin Webb is a piece cut off on each side of the top of the right ear leaving the top of the ear in the fashion of a horn recorded May 3rd 1722

The mark of the cattle of Thomas Bacon is a hole in the right ear and a hollow crop in the top of the left ear ~~and a hole in the top of the right ear~~ and a half pony in the hinder side of the left ear recorded June 2nd 1722

The mark of the cattle of Benjamin Atwood is two slits in the top of the right ear and an half pony in the hinder side of the left ear recorded May 28th 1722

The mark of Samuel Brown junior is a crop off the top of each ear and a hole in the left ear which was formerly the mark of George Smith recorded 1734

The mark of the cattle &c of John Knowles Junr the son of Capt
John Knowles is a slit in the top of each ear and a half penny in the
hindside of each ear about the middle of yr ear recorded January 7th 1717/20

Samuel Knowles Junr hath soon cause to alter the mark of his
cattle so that his mark is now a narrow crop in the top of the right ear
and a slit in the top of the left ear and an halfpenny in the hinder
side of the left ear about the middle of the ear recorded February 2nd 1719/20

The mark of the cattle &c of John Freeman is a halfpenny in the
hinder side of the left ear and two nicks in the hinder side of the ~~right~~ ear
Recorded February 3rd 1717/20

The mark of the cattle &c of Nathaniel Freeman Esqr. is
a half penny cut out in the hinder or under side of the left ear. By the
same mark which was recorded to Major John Freeman deceased.
recorded march the 17th 1719/20

Whereas the mark of the cattle &c of Joshua Hopkins was
recorded a half crop on the forehead of the now or left ear and
a crop off the top of the right ear. he hath now soon cause to have
it altered so that his mark is now a half crop on the hinder side
of the top of the left ear and a crop off the top of the right
ear.
Recorded march 14th 1719/20

The mark of the cattle &c of David Smith is a crop off
the top of the left ear and a hole in the right ear
recorded July 26th 1720

The mark of the cattle &c of Joshua Ralph is a piece cut off
flaming on the fore side of the top of the left ear and an half
penny in the hinder side of the right ear recorded october 6th 1720

note that Joshua Hopkins hath added to the mark of his sheep
a halfpenny in the hinder side of the left ear so that the mark of his
sheep is now a crop off the top of the right ear and an half
crop on the hinder side of the top of the left ear and an half
penny in the hinder side of the left ear recorded January 11th 1720/21

The mark of the cattle &c of John Isaac Pierce is two slits
in the top of the right ear and an halfpenny in the forehead of the left
ear about the middle of yr ear recorded January 9th February 9th 1720/21

Joshua Hopkins hath soon cause again to alter the mark of
his sheep so that now the mark of his sheep is a crop off the
top of each ear and a halfpenny cut out in the under or hinder
side of the left ear about the middle of yr ear recorded march
21st 1720/21

Moses Higgins his ear mark is a half crop off the under side of
the right ear entered June the 17th 1735

The mark of the cattle of William Badithall is two slits in the top of the right ear and a crop off the top of the left ear Recorded September 15th 1418

The mark of the cattle of Edward Atwood is two slits in the top of the right ear recorded September 15th 1418

The mark of the cattle of John Taylor is three slits in the under or hinder side of the left ear recorded December 15th 1418

The mark of the cattle of Nathaniel Rogers is a half crop cut out on the hinder or under side of the top of the right ear and a half penny cut out on the same side of the left ear recorded April 22nd 1419

The mark of the cattle of Joseph Mayo is a crop off the top of the right ear and a slit down in the middle of the crop recorded April 22nd 1419

The mark of the cattle of Joseph Smith Junior is a crop off the top of the left ear and a slit in the top of the right ear and a half penny in the under (or hinder) side of the right ear recorded May 1st 1419

The mark of the cattle of Jonathan Young is a hollow crop in the top of the right ear and a half penny cut out in the upper or fore side of the same ear. Recorded August 12th 1419

Elisba Cole his mark for his cattle is a half crop on the fore side of the top of the right ear and a half penny in the back side of the left ear recorded August 14th 1419

The mark of the cattle of David Cole is a half crop in the fore side of the top of the right ear and a half penny in the fore side of the left ear recorded August 14th 1419

The mark of the cattle of Mr. Samuel Ozburn is a piece cut off on each side of the top of the left ear leaving a piece standing in the middle in the fashion of a bonon recorded September 14th 1419 and a half penny in the hinder side of the right ear

The mark of the cattle of Joseph Smith Senior is a half crop in the hinder side of the top of the right ear and a nick in the back side of the same ear about the middle of the ear recorded October 22nd 1419

The mark of the cattle of Joshua Knowles is a slit in the top of the right ear and a nick in the back side of the same ear and a half penny in the back side of the left ear about the middle of the ear recorded October 26th 1419

The mark of the vessel of John Doan Hunt is two stars in the fore side
top of the mainmast entered 1728 30th of September 1696

The mark of the cattoll of Timothy Cole is a half pony cut out of the back side of the right oar entered this 12th of January 1886

The mark of the cattoll of Nicholas know it arick in the frounde
of each oar entred May 29th 1690

No mark of the catall of Joseph Snow Turk is a crop off the top of the right ear and a half penny cut out in the back side of the left ear entered folio 22 1693:4 94

The mark of the cat of Robert young is a piece cut out of
the right ear like a mackerel tail ~~and~~ ~~the left~~ and a half penis
cut out on the fore side of the same entered March the 6th 1693/4

The mark of the neat cattell sharp and swine of John Bangor
is a crop cut of the top of each ear and a slit underneath the
loop in the hinder side of the near ear outward this 24th of May

The mark of the chief of Lawrence's Indian is a swallow
tail cut out in the top of each ear and a half cut out of the
fore side of the near ear entered August the 8th 1693

The mark of the Cathol of John Smith the son of Saml Smith
is a hole in the left ear and a half pome cat out on the hinder side
of the right ear entered June 21: 1694

The mark of the Catoll of Thomas Lewis is a coop off
the top of each ear and a hole in the near ear underneath
the crop entered June the 20th 1690

The mark of the Catoll of George Shaw is a crop off the top of each ear and a slit or nick in each ear underneath. the crop in the hinder side of the ear outward march 11th 1622

The mark of the Catall of Nathaniel Young is a swallows
top of the left ear entered April 13th 1691

The mark of the catall of Jonathan Lennal is a half penny on each side of the left ear and one half penny on the right side of the right ear entered July the 31: 1696

The mark of the Doane Horse kind is a brand on the left buttock
TD recorded June the 1st 1698

The mark of the cattell of Isiah Cook Junr is a half pence
cut out of each ear the back side of the ear and a crop of the top
of the left outward June the 25th 1692

The mark of the Castell of Henry young is apiece cut out of the
top of the right ear making the sh. 6. 1/2

The Mink of John River is two sorts in the Indian language one has a mackerel tail entered June 27.
Edw. C. - Gt. Novemr 10th: 1735/6 1692

The mark of the cattol of Saml Brown is two half ponies cut out of the back side of the near ear entered this 20th of September 1681
the above-mentioned is second to Samuel Brown just the 1st of June 1754

The mark of the cattol of Samuel Daina is a half crop on the fore side of the top of the right ear and a slit in the top of the left ear entered this 4th of January 1681

The mark of the cattol of Joseph Collins is a slit in the top of right ear and a piece cut out rounding on the back side of the left ear entered this 14th of January 1681

The mark of the cattol of John Sparrow is a crop off the top of the right ear and two half ponies out of the left ear the one out of the fore side and the other out of the back side of the ear entered this 1st day of February 1681

The mark of the cattol of Joseph Hopkins is a half crop on the near ear the fore side of the ear and a crop of the top of the far ear and a slit down the middle of the crop entered March the first 1681:2

The mark of the cattol of James Mayo is a half crop on the fore side the left ear and a half crop on the hinder side of the right ear and a half pony cut out of the fore side of the right ear entered this 19th of February 1683

The mark of the cattol of Samuel Freeman is a half pony cut out of the under side of the near ear and a nick on one side the half pony May the 2nd 1684

The mark of the cattol of John Cole is a half crop on the back side of the top of the right ear and a slit under the crop and a slit in the back side of the left ear about the middle of the ear recorded the 22nd of December 1684

The mark of the cattol of John Snow is a crop off the top of the right ear and two nicks in the left ear one on each side of the top of the ear recorded February the 24th 1684

The mark of the cattol of John Laine is a half pony in the back side of the near ear and a nick in the back side of the far ear entered this 25 of April 1685

The mark of the cattol of Edward Freeman is two half ponies cut out of the hinder side of the left ear and a slit in the top of the right ear January the 5th 1685

The mark of the cattol of Isaac Popper is a half crop cut out on the back side of each ear entered the 6th day of September 1686

- the mark of Mr John Humeas cattell is a half moon cut out under the
left ear entered December the 14th 1690
- the mark of Samuel Mayes cattell is two slits in the right ear on the
outside the ear January 7th 1698
- the mark of Titus Humeas cattell is a crop on the top of the right ear
and a slit down in the middle of the crop entered: 1691
- the mark of John Doane cattell is two slits in the under side of the
left ear June 10th 1699
- the mark of Samuel Humeas cattell is a crop on the left ear and two
slits down in the crop entered this 27th of January 1663
- the mark of Daniel Doane cattell is two slits upon the top of the upper
side the left ear and two slits underneath the right ear
- the mark of Samuel Knowles his cattell is a hollow crop cut out up
on the top of both ears entered January 7: 1678
- the mark of Joseph Cooke his cattell is a half moon cut out behind
each ear march 22 1668 19
- the mark of John Smith Carpenter his cattell is a slit on the top
of the left ear and a little piece cut out rounding behind the right
ear march 22 1669
- the mark of Nathaniel Young his cattell is two slits on the right
ear and a slit down the top of the same ear entered
the 18th of February 1690
- the mark of the cattell of John Rogers a half crop in the top of
the right ear and a half piece cut out on the back side of the
left ear December 28th 1690
- the mark of the cattell of Joseph Dean is a hole in each ear entered
December the 15th 1690
- the mark of the cattell of Edward Atwood is two slits in the top
of the right ear entered November the 3^d 1690
- the mark of the cattell of Joseph Young is a swallow tail cut
in the top of the right ear and a half piece cut out in the fore
side of the left ear April 23 1691
- the mark of the cattell of Jonathan Sparrow Junr is a crop
cut off the top of the right ear and a slit cut into the same
ear underneath the crop on the fore side of the ear may 12: 1691
- the mark of the cattell of Samuel Mayo Junr is two half
pieces cut out of the back side of the far ear entered October 25th 1691
- the mark of the cattell of Benjamin Higgins is a piece cut of
flanting on the fore side of the near ear and a slit in where
the piece is cut out entered this 14th of April 1680
- the mark of the cattell of Nathaniel Mayo is a crop cut off
the top of the left ear and a slit down in the same ear where
the crop is cut off entered this 27th of April 1680

A coppie of the markes of cattle belonging to the Town of Coltham as entered in the Town Booke January: 1702/3

The mark of the cattle of Capt Jonathan Sparrow in may 1657 is the top of right ear cut off & a slit cut in the same ear underneath

The mark of the cattel of w^m. Twining may the 24: 1657: an hollow crop cut out of the left ear and apices cut out of the hinder side of the same ear

The mark of William Walker his cattels mark June 26: 1657 is a half crop on both sides the fore sides of them being cut off

The mark of the cattel of Thomas Mayo is a crop of the left ear and a slit in the backside of the same ear entered may the 25: 1696

The mark of the cattel of Joseph Myrick is a swallows tail cut in the top of the left ear entered may 18th 1696

The mark of John Browns cattel and other creatures is two slits in the under side of the right ear and one slit in the top of the left ear Recorded June 11th 1700

The mark of Thomas Smith his cattel is a half pomie cut out of the fore side of the fore ear entered this 11th of august 1679

The mark of the cattel of Thomas Paine is a crop of the top of the fore ear & a slit in the same ear entered August the 11th 1679. And the mark of his horse kind is a brand on the left buttock July 26: 1701

The mark of the cattel of Joseph Snow is a crop off the top of the right ear and a half pomie cut out of the hinder side of each ear entered the 5th of the

The mark of the cattel of Jeremiah Smith is a slit down the top of the right ear and a slit cut in the backside of the near ear entered November the 11th 1672

John Smith Junior the mark of his cattel is a half crop on the fore side of the top of the near ear and a slit in the back side of the fore ear entered this fourth day of august 1643

The mark of the cattel of Mr Samuel Treat is apices cut off on each side of the top of the near ear leaving apices standing in the middle in the fore side of the left ear entered August 29th 1644 with his brand mark

The mark of the cattel of Isaac Cole is a half crop off the hinder side of the top of the right ear and a half pomie cut out underneath the half crop recorded December the 29 1649

The mark of Joshua Bangor his cattel is a slit down the top of the right ear entered December the 14th 1658

The mark of John Bangor his horse kind is a slit down the top of the left ear entered with this brand mark IB upon the near & houlson side the 14th 1658

The mark of John Mayors cattel is a half crop in the fore side of the left ear and a half crop on the hinder side of the right ear entered December the 14th 1658

The mark of Thomas Williamsons cattel is a crop on the left ear and a slit in the top of the right ear entered December 14th 1658

The mark of the cattel of Thomas Paine is a half crop on the backside of the right ear and a slit on the top of the left ear entered December the 14th 1658

March 20th 1759
This whilish Gray mare of Edward Ranges & 84
Johnathan Sparrow was sold to John Sowland of Barnstable.
By way of exchange for a black mare & could not
take the other side

February 12: 1701 Nathaniel Freeman hath taken up a black steer
of a bout two year old with some white under his belly and
on the tip of his tail with a crop off the top of his right
ear and a slit in the crop and a half pency in the inner
side of the same ear which beast was taken up about the
middle of October last past

The ear mark of Ruben snow is a Crop of of the top
of each ear and a slit in the crop of the right ear
and a happing the fore side of the left ear

Recorded March 12: 1755 for Thomas Knowles Town Clerk

The ear mark of Josiah Myrick is a hollow
Crop of the Left ear Recorded March 21: 1755
for Thomas Knowles Town Clerk

The ear mark of David Young is a hollow Crop of the top of
the right ear and a happing of the fore side of the left ear and
a half pency the inner side the right ear Recorded May 15: 1756

The ear mark of Simeon Higgins Creatures is a slant
cut of the fore side of the Left ear and a sick cut in
the slant Recorded January 9: 1768
Edward Knowles Town Clerk

The ear mark of Eliakim Higgins is a Crop of the Right ear and a Slit in
the Crop and two slanting Crops on the top of the Left ear Recorded
July the 16: 1770 from Joshua Doane Town Clerk

C M^E Jones hath one black mare of two years old & nantledge
with nose white & marked with two slits in the fore fore side
of the left ear & burnt marked one the right shoulder
with an E. July 2th 1659

More one bay mare Count nose white marked with two slits one the fore side
of the left ear & burnt marked one the right shoulder with E June 1659

More one dunnish Colow horse Count with two white teeth behind 1660
and one of his fore teeth white with two slits one the fore side of the
left ear and a white clip on his nose and burnt marked with E
July the 30th 1662

More one dunnish horse sold a ~~flaw~~ in his forehead two
slits ~~in the~~ fore side of the left ear and burnt
marked on the fore shoulder with E
October 22 1666

The Ear mark of Cornelius Rich a crop of the top
of each ear

The Ear mark of James Kiltwood's ^{son} two slits in
the top of the right ear and a notch ^{the} under each ear
Entered March 15: 1719

The Ear mark of John Snow is a crop of the ^{right} ear
and a half penny the fore side of the left ear and a slit
in top of the right ear Entered March 14: 1719

The Ear mark of Job Crocker is a half crop the under
side the right ear and a half penny under the same ear
Recorded May 16: 1750

The Ear mark of Ebenezer Ottwood ^{jun} is a slit in the
top of the right ear and a hole in the left ear and a notch the
under side the left ear Recorded January 21: 1752

The Ear mark of the Rev^d Mr Edward Coker is a slit in the top
of the right ear and a half penny in the under side the
right ear and a half penny in the under side the left
ear Recorded May 25: 1752

C
Mary Knowles one red dog mare of a year and banded
a little white in the forehead and the off eye and
the inside of the ears hoofs before white and a mark
behind the off ear and banded with E on the same
shoulder this 22th of January 1666

Mary Knowles of her wife Mary banded Ephraim Doane
one yearling mare of a brownish boulder with a star
in the forehead banded a flitt in the top of the
neck and two flitts in the fore side of the off
ear banded E one leg from the bottom leg 4th day
of August 1671

John Knowles one mare banded of a brownish boulder
banded a flitt crop off the fore side of the
top of the neck and a flitt in the top crop
banded E one leg from the bottom leg 4th day of
August 1671

the ear mark of 38th and Knowles is a flitt in the top of the
Right ear and a wick in the underside the fore ear & a half penny
the upside the left ear Recorded June 28th 1737

The ear mark of Robert Snow a crop off the top of the Right ear
and a half penny cut out the fore side the left ear & a flitt in the
top of the left ear entire the 5th day of January 1742/3

William Cook his ear mark of his creatures is a crop off
the top of each ear & a hole in each ear. Recorded September
the 5th 1744

The ear mark of Nathaniel Horting his creatures
two half pannies cut out of the under side of the right ear
and one half penny cut out of the upper side of the left ear
recorded May the 14th 1746

Mr Nathaniel Freeman jur Town clerk

The ear mark of George Brown jur his creatures
a strait crop of the top of both ears and a mark
under the left
recorded June 14th 1746

This young John Smaly & John Mayo: one main they bought of
 main & wholly in party. of two years old or thereabouts. of a grey
 John Mayo: 10th Feb. 1660. with a star in the forehead & a whitish nose. Burne marked one the
 nose. Shoulders with the wrong end upward & the nose eye white
 & burne marked one the right shoulder with an E June 10th 1659
 This main Coult more one main Coult of a reddish Collyer with a blaze downe
 is wholly John Smaly's 10th Feb. 1660. the face & a longish hole cut in the right ear.
 & burne marked one the right shoulder with an E June 10th 1659
 John Smaly a year and a half horse of a reddish colour a blaze
 downe his face a row of of the round ears and a hole in the same ear
 and burne marked with E on the face shoulder February the 12th 1667
 John Smaly a reddish horse with a spot of white downe his nostrills
 a hole in the right ear and burne marked with E on the right shoulder
 April the 6th 1667

Momb this day John Smaly one bay main of the age of two years or
 main was sold to Nicholas Duns the age of two years. a little star in the forehead & a long hole
 of Eastable 19 cut out of the left ear. & burne marked one the right
 of March 66: 61. Shoulders with an E. June 10th 1659.

More one reddish main Coult with a white blaze downe the face a little
 forehead at the nose and with a hole cut in the left ear & burne
 marked with an E one the right shoulder. April 14th 1660.

More one young main wh was the one halfe John Mayo's
 now with wholly John Smaly's. by way of exchange for
 halfe the John Gray main wh was between them. This young
 main is year & a halfe a reddish Collyer a hole cut in
 the right ear & a white blaze downe the face burne marked
 with E one the right shoulder. February 9th 1660.

More one horse Coult red colour with a broad white blaze downe his face
 & a hole cut in the left ear & burne marked with E one the right
 shoulder. March 19th 66: adis 61. This Coult was formerly halfe John
 Mayo's it came of the John Gray main wh was between them.

More one main Colt of a dunish color with a glitt downe the
 and burne marked with E on the right shoulder this 14th of March 1662

More one horse colt of a brownish colour with a hole cut in the
 nose ear and whitish about the nose and a blacke maine
 & a blacke tail

more one yearling mare a year old along. a hole in the right ear
 right ear burne marked with E on the right shoulder
 August 12th 1660

no marks of the cattle and horkind of Nathaniel Atkins is
a half crop on the ~~back~~ ^{side} of the top of the right ear and a half penny
on the back side of the left ear entered July the 17th 1702
C.

John Paine Town Clerk

The ear mark of Nathaniel Atkins is a slit down the top of the
Right ear & a half penny cut out of the fore side of the left ear
entered the 31 day of May 1736

The ear mark of Silenus Snobs creatures is a crop off the right ear & a
half penny in the under side the same ear & a slit in the top of the left ear
and a half penny in the upper side the left ear entered the 19th day of June 1736

The ear mark of Stephen Sperry is a crop of the Right ear & a half penny
cut in each side the left ear entered the 19th day of June 1736

The ear mark of Jacob Sparrow is a crop off the top of the Right
ear & a notch in the fore side of the same ear & a slit in the top
of the left ear entered the 25 day of February 1739

July the 9th 1740 then Recorded the ear mark of William
his creatures which is a crop off the top of the left ear & a hole in
the same ear. Recorded by me Joseph Doane Town Clerk

The Ear mark Beriah Higgins two slits in the
top of the right ear and a half penny on the fore
side of the same October 4th 1748

By me Nathaniel Freeman Jr Town Clerk

The ear mark of the creatures of Samuel Thatcher is three
half crosses the fore side each ear and a half penny the
under side each ear. Recorded March 12 1752
By me Thomas Knowles Town Clerk

The ear mark of the creatures of Joseph Smith Junior
the 3rd is a strat crop off each ear and a half penny under
each ear January 16 1761. — Edward Knowles Town Clerk

The Ear mark of the creatures of Nathan Smith
is a strat crop off each ear and one half penny the
under side of the Right ear and one half penny
the upper side of the Left ear Recorded January
the 21 1761.

C. Thomas Paine one mare of a light red color the left foot behind white with a white blaze down the face with a half crop on the left ear & burne marked on the right shoulder with an E four years old or thereabouts. May 31th 1659

This doubt
drawn

~~Thomas Paine one horse bought of Thomas Paine June by way of exchange for a horse & this mare hath a little star in the forehead & a white blaze from the star down the nose & a white snip going out the right side a half crop on the right ear & a slit on the top of the left ear burne marked on the right shoulder with an E May 31th 1659~~

Thomas Paine hath one brown mare two years old & a little star in the forehead & a C cut out of the hinder part of the left ear burne marked on the right shoulder with an E January 31th 1659

Thomas Paine hath one brown bay mare bought of Thomas Paine June by way of exchange for a horse & this mare hath a little star in the forehead & ears marked with a cross cut out of each side the nose ears & burne marked on the nose shoulder with an E & on the right shoulder with an E about two years old May 5th 1660

Thomas Paine hath one brown mare bought of Thomas Paine June by way of exchange for a horse & this mare hath a little star in the forehead a little white on the hinder side of the left foot behind is marked with a half crop on the right ear & a slit on the top of the left ear burne marked on the right shoulder with an E about two years old May 5th 1660

More one brown ^{mare} with a few white hairs in the forehead a half crop on the left ear and a slit down the side of the neck ear and burne marked with E on the face shoulder this 10th of March 1662

More one redish horse colt with a white face and a white feet and both eyes white and a half crop on the left ear and a slit down the top of the left neck ear and burne marked on the face shoulder this 10th of March 1662

The mark of the cattle of John Mulford is a half crop on the back side of the left ear and a crop off the top of the right ear and a slit in the under side of the right ear Recorded June 2nd 1701

~~The mark of Benzer Browns a crop off the top of each ear of his creatures & a half penic on the forehead the left ear entered the 20th of April 1736
James Joseph James Town clerk~~

Thomas Duffie bought & carried away a Sorrell horse
about these year old with a white Blk. Down the side. I marked
C. with a slit in the nose and a half cross on the right
ear. April 13th 1660.

The mark of the cattle of Josiah Harding is a swallow-
tail in the top of the right ear and a nick in the fore-side
of the same ear. Entered November 11th 1695.

The mark of the Cattle of James Rogers is a half
Crop on the back-side of the right ear
Recorded: March 31st 1696.

The mark of the Cattle of Will^m Stockman Indian of
Potomacut is a Crop cut of the top of each ear
Entered July 15th 1696.

The mark of Constant Freeman's Cattle is two slits in the
top of the left ear. Entered February 1st 1697.

Constant Freeman having for good Reason altered
the mark of his Cattle so that now the mark of his Cattle is
a tenon on the top of the right ear Recorded July 19th 1699.

Mem^b. Contrary to this previous main Count of the James
Duffie sold to Henry Atkins May the 14th 1661.

The mark of the Cattle of Hezekiah Doane is
a slit on the top of both ears and a nick on the
fore-side of the left ear Recorded August 2nd 1699.

The mark of the Cattle of William Cole is a half
Crop off the fore-side of the right ear Recorded
the fourth of December in the year 1699.

The mark of the Cattle of Richard Sparrow is
a Crop on the top of each ear and a slit in the
under side of the right ear: and the mark of his
horses is a brand on the left buttuck with an R
Recorded the Eleventh Day of May 1700.

The mark of the Cattle of Benjamin Smalley
is a Crop off the top of each ear and two slits in
the under side of the right ear Recorded April 23rd

The marks of the cattle of Thomas Doan is two slits in the
fore sides of the left ear and a slit in the top of the right ear
entered May the 26th 1702

C.

Rebannah Mayo: hath one brown bay mare: four years old or there
abouts. with a star in the forehead & burne marked on the right hip
May the 21st 1659 with M: also: one mare Colt. Sucking here: of a blackish color &
a star in the forehead & a little white burne below the nostrils
& marked with a little slit cut in the left ear. both burns with an E
on the right shoulder

May the 21st 1659 Mathias Mayo: one Sorrell Mare of two years old or thereabouts
with a white blaze down the face & the right foot behind white burne
marked on the right hip with M & on the right shoulder with E
more one redish mare with a white face & the nose eye warts
& 4 white foot burne marked with E on the right shoulder
& on the right shoulder with E. January 29 1660

April 5th 1661 More one Dungh Mare bought with a broad white blaze down from
eyes to her nose & the left eye warts & the nose warts before white
& marked with a little slit cut under her left ears on the hind
side of her ears & burne marked with E on the right shoulder
more one Sorrell mare with a blaze down the face
& the left foot behind white & ears marked with two
little pores cut out of the side of the left ears & burne
marked with E on the right shoulder. Nov^r 18. 1661

August 10th 1662 more one Dungh Mare sold marked with E on the
right shoulder

Feb^r 12 1667 a reddish horse sold a star in the forehead and four white spots on
a with behind the neck ears a burne marked with E on the right
shoulder
on growing mare with two nicks behind the nose ears and burne
marked with E on the right shoulder. February 12th 1667

The mark of the Cattle of Daniel Sam Jones
of paimet: is two flatts in the top of the left ear
entered May the 30th 1694

The mark of the Cattle of James Ralph Indian of Eastham
is a piece cut off flanging off the fore side of the right
ear and a half piece cut out of the back side of the same
ear entered June the 27th 1694

C.

Carried away by ~~the~~ Joseph Hall one mare and one year
old horse for his own. The Mare is a Blackish Collier and
marked a penny cut out rounding out of the back side of
the nose same and on the face same a hallo crop off
the top of the ear and a nick under the crown the horse
is of a fawnish Collier a white streak down the face
a penny cut out rounding on the back side of the nose
same this 26th of May 1694

With a Nick
in the fore
side of the
near ear
underneath
the crop.

The Mark of the Cattle of John Cole Junior
is a Crop off the top of the near ear and halfe
Crop in the hinder side of the top of the far ear
with this brand mark on his horse's hind IC on his off
shoulder recorded May the 6th 1693

The Marks of the Cattle of Nicholas Spaines
Cattle and horse's brand is a halfe Crop on the
hinder side of the near ear and a slit in the
top of the far ear of his best Cattle with
this brand mark: P upon the near shoulder of
his horse's brand entered aginst the 10th 1693

The mark of Daniel Mayors Cattle is a halfe penny
cut out of the fore side of the right and a halfe penny
cut out of the back side of the left ear with a
slit down the side of the left ear entered the 21th of
September 1693

The marks of the Cattle of Christopher
Strout is a halfe penny out of the near ear
on the back side of the near ear and a Crop
off the top of the same ear and a slit in the
top of the far ear entered March the
21th 1693

The marks of the Cattle of Thomas Mulford Junior is
a halfe penny cut out of the back side of the right ear
and a slit on the back side of the left ear
entered aginst the 9th 1694

The marks of the Cattle of Maziak Jennings is a
swallows tail on the top of the left ear and a halfe
penny cut out of the back side of the right ear
Recorded June: 23: 1695

The marks of the cattle of Richard Cooke is
a halfe penny cut out of the back side of each ear
and a slit in the top of the left ear Recorded
the first day of July 1695

William Merrick a blackish horse of two years old
C. a mark on the top of the near ear brand marked with E
on the right shoulder the 5 of June 1662

The mark of the Cattle of Jonathan Linnel is
a half pencey on each side of the left ear and one half
pencey on the hind-side of the right ear Entered July 31st 1696

The mark of Tho: Doones Horse Hind is a brand
on the left buttuck T D. Recorded: June: 1: 1698

Joshua Hopkin one year old mare with a star in the forehead
about three year old ear marked a halfe Crop on
the fore side the near ear and a Crop off the top
of the far ear brand marked with E on the far
shoulder recorded this first day of March 1681 82
this mare was taken in from Billingsgate
where she was about two years old ear marked
for out that came of a mare of good wife
Col. Jon=

The Mark of the Cattle of Josiah Cooks Cattle
is a halfe pencey Cut out of each Ear the back side
of the ear and a Crop off the top of the left
Ear Entered June the 25th 1692

The Mark of the Cattle of Henry Youngs is a pence
Cut out of the top of the right ear making the ear like a
marketsails Entered June: the 27th 1692

The Marks of the Cattle of Steuson atrocod
is two flits in the top of the right ear
and a halfe pencey Cut out underneath the flits on
the fore side of the same ear: entered October
the third: 1692

The Mark of the Cattle of William Mithergon
is a Crop off the top of the right Ear entered
December the fourth 1692

The Marks of Simon Crosbys Cattle is two
flits in the back side of the near Ear and a halfe
pencey Cut out of the back side of far Ear
Entered March 31st 1699

Carried away by Mr John Freeman this 4th of May 1664
into the way to the good

- C. Three sorrell horses with a white blaze in their faces and round
with E on the near buttocks and a white cut out behind the nose and
more one with a colour horse a blaze in his face two white eyes a white cut out
behind the nose and round marks with E on the near buttocks
more one great black horse round marks with F.B. on the near buttocks
with E on the far buttocks and cut with a white on each side the
more one black horse with a white blaze in the face and round marks with F.B.
with a white on each side the near ears
and for brown horse with E on the near buttocks
and for brown horse with a white blaze in the forehead and white on the
nose and three white flecks crop on both ears and a white cut out
behind the nose and round marks with 14th May 1664

The Mark of the Cattle of John Kings is a halfe
pennant cut out of the fore side of each ear
entered the 30th day of January 1685

The Mark of the Cattle of Thomas Lewis is a Crop
off the top of each ear and a hole in the near
ear underneath the crop. Entered June 20th 1690

The Mark of the Cattle of Samuel Smith
Junior is a hole in the near ear and a Crop
off the top of the same ear entered October 15th 1690

The Mark of the Cattle of George
Shaw is a Crop off the top of both ear and
a flitt or nick in each ear underneath the
Crop on the hinder side of the ear
entered March 11th 1690

The Mark of the Cattle of Zebulon
Chorp is a flitt in the off ear and flitt on
the one side of the top of the ear
on the other side of the top of the ear
Entered March 20th 1691

The Mark of the Cattle of Nathaniel Youngs
is a swallow tail Cut in the top of the right ear
and a flitt in the top of the left ear entered
April 13th 1691

C. Goodm Banges one bay gelding of two years old or thereabouts with three white houghs a star in the forehead & a little white on the nose. Bunch marked with a H on the right Shoulder & an E on the left & a slit on the top of the left ear. April 12. 1659

Edward Banges one Cheynut Coloured horse of two years old & nanbridge with a whitish mane & tail with a star in the forehead & a little white snip on the nose. marked with a slit on the top of the right ear & bunch marked with an H sideways on the left Shoulder & an E on the right Shoulder. July 14

more one black ^{mare} bouth of a year old & nanbridge old 1659 with a slit on the top of the right ear with a little star in the forehead & a white snip on the nose. bunch marked on the left Shoulder & on the right with an E. July 14th 1659

more one black mare 2 years old or thereabouts with four white feet a white spot round her belly & a white face & two white eyes marked with a slit in the top of the right ear & bunch marked with an E on the right Shoulder. July 21st 1659

more one black mare bouth with a broad blaze down the face. three white feet marked with a slit down the top of the right ear & bunch marked with an E on the right Shoulder. July 21st 1659
more this black mare bouth three white feet marked with a slit down the top of the right ear & bunch marked with an E on the right Shoulder. July 21st 1659
was sold to Tho. Williams Job. G. 1660.

more one brown bay mare red white of two years old & nanbridge. bunch marked with E on the right Shoulder. January 1st 1660

more one brown bay mare with a black left down her back & four white feet & a blaze down her face & a slit down the top of the right ear & bunch marked on the right Shoulder with an E. February 1st 1660

more one horse bouth of a year old & a flaxen mane & tail four white feet & a blaze down her face & a slit down the top of the right ear & bunch marked on the Shoulder with an E. February 1st 1660

more one ^{mare} ~~mare~~ ^{mare} of a Parkers Colour with a blaze down the face and three white feet in the top of the right ear and bunch marked with E B this 25 of December 1660

more one horse of a blackish colour with four white feet and a star in the forehead a white streak running down toward the nose and white nose and slit on the top of the right ear bunch marked with E on the right Shoulder. February 1st 1660

more one horse sold a brownish bay & a little white star in the forehead slit on the top of the right ear and bunch marked with E on the right Shoulder. January 4th 1661

The mark of the Cattel of John Smith the son of Samuel Smith is a hole in the left ear and a gash in the left cut on the hind side of the right ear. entered June 25th 1664

Mr. X. Contrary. This light bay gelding of near 4 years old with three white spots
in the face and a star on the nose and the right
shoulder was sold to Josiah Hubbard of Wingham March: 26: 61.

Contrary. This Chestnut Coloured horse was raised a way by Mr. Josiah Hubbard
of Wingham. March: 6th 1659. age 60.

Contrary. This Black Colt was sold to (Robert Barclay of Durburgh
March: 22: 1660.

Contrary. This horse Colt of a red Colour & grey mane and tail
sold to Josiah Hubbard of Wingham. March: 1663. 48

Contrary. Carried away by Nathaniel Chubb on the 16th of May 1664 a black
mare with a gilt on her nose and round marks on the face shoulder
with E and mane & tail white Colour.

Nathaniel May one horse two year as a yearling
old a brownish Colour a star in the forehead
earmarked a Crop off the top of the near ear
and a gilt in the Crop earmarked O on the lower
buttock and E on the face shoulder Entered
this: 6th of August: 1633. This horse when
first taken was unmarked and afterwards
marked for one that came of a mare of
Robert Wigan or his wife Wigan.

Nathaniel May one mare Colt a year as a yearling
old of a blackish brown Colour earmarked a
Crop off the top of the near ear and a gilt
in the Crop the two hinder feet white the off
foot before whiteish earmarked E on the
face shoulder Entered this: 6th of August: 1633.
John Spang having to himselfe good ground and wagon
hath altered the name mark of his Cattle so that now
his proper ear mark is for his Mast Cattle grey and
hogs is a Crop Cut off the top of both ears and
a gilt underneath the Crop in the hinder side
of the near ears entered this: 17: of May: 1637.

The Mark of the Cattle of Levant the Indian
is a square tail Cut out in the top of both ears
and a Raffe Cut out of the fore side of the near
ears entered August the: 3rd 1693

February the 26. 1658

X Daniel Cook one black mare with a low white hairs in the forehead marked with a C cut out of the hinder side of the right ear & burne marked with an E on the right Shoulder.

Daniel Cook one mare three years old on the about a Dunish black marked with a C cut out of the hinder side of the right ear.

Daniel Cook one horse Colt a black bay now white with a C cut out of the hinder side of the right ear & burne marked with an E on the right Shoulder.

Daniel Cook one bay mare with a blaze down the face & the left side of her left foot behind white & a C cut out of the right ear about seven years old burne marked with an E on the right Shoulder. August 8th 1659.

more one horse Boulth redish with a blaze down the face & the hind foot both white about the foot & the fore foot white & a C cut out of the right ear & burne marked with an E on the right Shoulder. August 8th 1659.

more one horse Boulth nearest a Chifnut color with a blaze on the forehead & a white Snip on the nose with both feet behind white & the near foot before & both withingars burne cut out of the side of the right ear & burne marked on the near buttock with an E October 28. 1659.

Daniel Cook one red mare 3 years old white blaze down the face both feet behind white a pore cut out of the hinder side of the right ear. burne marked on the near buttock with an E. November 1. 1660.

more one horse Coulth with white blaze down the forehead with one white foot a pore cut out of the hinder side of the right ear. branded with E on the near buttock. November 1. 1660.

more one bay mare Coulth with a white face from the eyes down ward & white feet & white eyes marked with a pore cut out of the hinder side of the right ear & burne marked with an E on the near buttock. November 1. 1660.

more one black horse Boulth with a white face both white eyes & the hind foot white & a pore cut out of the hinder side of the right ear & burne marked on the right Shoulder with E. January 29th 1660.

more one bay mare sold with a white blaze down the face marked with a pore cut out of the hinder side of the right ear and branded with a E on the right Shoulder. December 18th 1660.

more one black horse sold with a white in his forehead running narrow down ward a pore cut out about the middle side of the hinder side of the right ear. burne marked with an E on the right Shoulder. August 10th 1661.

A Record of Horses sold to the Indians

May 13 1670

C.

X

Sold and Delivered by Thomas game to an Indian
called William Indian the quaquarab one
brown bay Horse: earmarked a drop off the
top of the nose ear a slit in the top of the
face ear and a slit in the same ear one the
back side: paid by Thomas game upon the
account of this Horse ten shillings according
to Court order

May 16 1671

A Blackish Horse earmarked a halfe brope by face
side of face top of face nose ear and a slit in face
and a galle piece cut out of face face side of face face
ear one Horse sold and Delivered by Thomas game
to an Indian living at present commonly called and
known by the name of Ottomogahet's Horse: paid
by Thomas game ten shillings according
to Court order

August 17
1671

A Blackish Horse about five years old earmarked
a slit in face top of face nose ear and two galle
cut out of face face side of face face ear one
Horse sold and Delivered by John May to an
Indian called Mungiffo living at present and
paid by John May ten shillings in money
according to order of Court

The 4th Day
of January
1671

A Horse of a Blackish Colour two years
old and a black face two years old earmarked
before with earmarked a gale in face nose ear
Horse is sold by Samuel Freeman to an Indian
called Francis and Delivered according to order of
Court

The first
Day of May
1672

Sold and Delivered by Abigail Dour to an Indian
called Mosel one bay Horse earmarked two slits
in face face side of face nose ear a slit in face
face ear and a little white strake over face left
Horse earmarked: Face was blackish

The 3rd Day
of May
1672

Sold and Delivered by Thomas game to an Indian
called Ottomogahet all Indian living at present and known
Horse with a white face a galle brope one face
ear four years old paid by Thomas game ten
shillings according to Court order

Thomas Bille on Young mare of two year old and castage
of a ~~black~~ Dunith Colours whitish mane and tail a white blaze
on the face broadest at the upper end and narrower down
forming a like off set upon the nose the near side behind white
with a nick or slit in the back side of the off ear and a whole
in the near ear and a half penny cut out of the back side of the
near ear brand T. upon the near buttock and it is to be noted
that the whole and half penny in the near ear hath been made by
furn of iron without order of the 1st Bill a Considerable time after
the nick in the far ear which was done by the 1st Bill or far
when a Colt wounded this 14th of February 1679

The Mark of the Cattle of John Perkins
is a half penny in the fore side of the
Left Ear Recorded October 21: 1701

The Mark of the Cretures of Isaac May is a crop on
the hinder side of the near ear & a slit in the top of the
off ear entered August the 21: 1735

Joseph Daine Town Clerk

Christian Remick's ear mark of his cretures is a half crop on the
side of the top of the left ear & a nick cut in the under
upper side of the same ear entered the 26 day of June 1736

Joseph Daine Town Clerk

John Smith jun^r his ear mark is a half penny cut in the fore
side of the left ear entered the 15 day of February 1736

David Higgins his ear mark is a slit in the top of the
Right ear & a half crop on the fore side of the left ear
entered February 22: 1736

Elkins Snow his ear mark for his cretures is a crop of the
top of the Right ear & two half pennies cut on the upper side
of the left ear entered March 12: 1736

Ephraim Cooks ear mark is a slit in the top of each ear and
a nick in the fore side of each ear
entered the eight day of April 1737

Joseph Cole jun^r his ear mark is a crop off the left ear
& a half crop off the under side the Right ear between the
ear and the head a half penny cut on the under side April 8: 1737

William Cavell jun^r his ear mark of his cretures is a half penny
cut on the under side the Right ear & a half penny cut on the upper side
the left ear & a mark in the top of the right ear
entered the 13 day of September 1737

C
October: 18th 1659 Josiah Cooke hath one mare named a chestnut colour
with her mane & tail whitish, a little white strip one her nose
& a little slit one the top of both ears. Below one & 5 years old
& burned marked one the right shoulder with an E.

Josiah Cooke hath one mare of a year & 3 months of age
with a slit down the top of each ear & burned
marked one the nose tip with E & one the right shoulder with
an E. November: 29: 1659 this mare is dead

May 8th 1661 Marked for Josiah Cooke a year old mare bought with a little
star in her forehead a little white in the star going upwards and
a little white in the side of her neck & a slit down the top
of both ears & burned marked with E one the left shoulder with an E
it apprehend to be his or any of his claims can be made by any other
if not the owner is nothing the said Josiah Cooke shall enjoy him

April 10th 1662 Marked for Josiah Cooke one sad dunish colour year
old horse with a slit on the top of both ears a little
white in his nose and burned marked with E on his
right shoulder

July 21th 1663 Marked one horse color chestnut color with a white
flame one the forehead and both the ears slit on the top
and burned marked with E on the same shoulder

August 3rd 1664 one black mare that Josiah Cooke bought of Goodman Chubbash
Higham marked with H one the nose between and a little white in the
top of the right ear and burned marked with E on the same shoulder August
the 3 1664

More one black horse of a year and half old slit down the
top of both ears and burned marked with E on the right shoulder
this 19 December 1666

More one reddish horse with a slit
More one brownish mare with black mane and black hair marked with
a slit down the top of each ear and burned marked with E on the right
shoulder this 28th of December 1667

More one brownish colour mare with a slit down the top of each ear and
burned marked with E on the right shoulder the 1 of January 1668

More one white horse of 2 years old a slit down the top of each ear
and burned marked with E on the right shoulder the 1 of January 1668

More one brown horse a slit down the top of each ear
burned marked with E on the same shoulder May 8th 70

one dunish mare a slit down the top of each ear and
burned marked with E on the same shoulder May 9th 70

one reddish mare a slit down the top of each ear and burned marked
with E on the same shoulder May 9th 70

one dunish horse with a year old but both ears a slit
Cross the right side of the ear May 9th 70

C Miriam I saw hath one Red mane with a little flax
in the forehead a little white in the flax going down and
a little narrow flax down part of her nose and a slit down
the top of both ears and burn mark with E on the left shoulder
this 21th of July 1663

More one year old horse Coult with a flax in the forehead
and slit down the top of both ears and a little white out
behind the right ear and of a sad boy colour and burn
mark with E on the right shoulder this 21th of July 1663

More one mare colt of a reddish colour ^{and a little flax in the forehead} slit down the top of both
ears and a white behind the right ear and burn mark with E on the
right shoulder this September 1665

More one horse colt of a reddish colour slit down the top of both
ears and a white behind the right ear and burn mark with E on the
right shoulder this 19th of
November 1666

More one horse colt and with slit down the top of both ears and a white out
behind the right ear and burn mark with E on the right shoulder this
8th of December 1667

More one mare colt of a reddish colour a ^{broad flax} ^{flax} down the nose
and a white out behind the right ear and
burn mark with E on the front shoulder this 9th of January 1668

The Ear mark Thomas Rogers for his Creatures is
a half Cropp under side the Right Ear and half penny
on side the Left Ear and flat on the top of the Left Ear
Recorded in the year 1766

James Rogers mark for his Creatures is two half penceys
on the upper side the Left Ear
Recorded in the year 1766

C
Thomas Roberts had one Joseph horse Coult of
yours & Cambridge. the two foot. one the of Side. white
& a white blaze down the face & his nose all white & was
marked with a slit in the top of the left ear & a half
drop on the right ear. Burns marked one the right
Shoulder with an E. August. 18th. 1659.

Edward Banges & Johnathan Sparrow had one whitish grey
mare about six years old with both hooves behind white & a slit
down the top of the right ear & Burns marked one the
right Shoulder with an E. February 28th. 1659.

Johnathan Sparrow & Johnathan Banges had one black
mare Coult with a little white in the face & a slit down the top
the right ear & Burns marked one the right Shoulder with an E. 1659.

Edward Banges & Johnathan Sparrow had one blackish mare about four
years old with two white feet & a white snip one her nose & a little long white front
in her face the right one half nose & one the nose buttoned burned with H.B.
& one the right Shoulder with an E. May 25th 1660.
more one bay mare Coult with the top of her right ear cut off & a slit
behind the ear & Burns marked one the right Shoulder with an E. May 25th 1660.

C The marks of the Cattle of John Snow is a
Crop of the top of the right ear, and two Nicks
in the left ear one on each side of the top of the
ear recorded February the 24th 1684

The Mark of the Cattle of John Paine is a halfe penis
in the back side of the nose and a Nick in the back
side of the far ear. Entered this 25th of April 1685
with this brand mark: P: upon his horse ~~finds~~

The Mark of the Cattle of Edmound Freeman
is two halfe penis Cut out of the hinder side of the
left ear and a flitt in the top of the right ear
January 5th 1685

The marks of the Cattle of Jacob the Indian of Garrison
some: is a swallow tail Cut in the top of both ears and a mark
Cut in underneath in the back side of the right ear: entered
February 24th 1685

The Mark of the Cattle of M^r Richard Lish
is a pease Cut out of the fore side of the nose
ear: rounding like a halfe penis and a hole in the
far ear entered this: 12th of April 1686

The Mark of the Cattle of M^r Isaac Cooper is a halfe
Crop Cut out on the back side of both Ears entered
the 6th day of September 1686

The marks of the Cattle of William Brown is a flitt
in the top of the right ear and a halfe Cut out
of the back side of the same ear underneath the
flitt: entered this: 17th day of September 1686

The marks of the Cattle of John Doane junior is
two flitts in the fore side of the nose ear
entered this: 30th of September 1686

The Marks of the Cattle of Timothy
Cole is a halfe penis Cut out of the back
side of the right ear entered this: 12th of
January 1686

The marks of the Cattle of Daniel Doane junior is
two flitts in the fore side of the nose ear entered
March the 7th 1686

The Mark of the Cattle of Nicolas Snow is a
Nick in the fore side of both Ears entered
May 23rd 1690

March 15: 48. Behind white & a white streak down the face. Turned marked
C the right hip with M CM a p p

March: 15th 1868. John Canoy and
his wife S. D. Light B. Canoy with
Nath. Maye. & 4 white foot
marked one the right hip with

John Gony hath one red main Coult^r wth white one here next
 is a roman & one the fore head open to the left side anghel
 one no marked one the right buttock wth ♀

Moss: one hole. Doubt of a crown in Collar & a little short down the
face next the soft eye & next the right nostril the hoofs behind
& the soft hoofs before June 7th 1861.

[illegible]

It is hardly more with a fair in the foreign world
Chillemore taken up by John Young and James
for a fair, his name John Miller, large and too and
Garrison away for his name to be known of the world.

It is a mare foaled about 1850 and is a light
belong to the mare of an old Indian wife, a good
and fair a horse to the mare is. It is a good horse
and four years old - light mare and to the west at the
head ~~to the~~ without any, some mark on the head
taken up for a friend: by Josiah Good junior William
morse junior. Steven Hopkin, Emotoja Good, John
Snow John Smith, 1st day of February 1870

A. Thorne more wife, a white female, in her face
broad upward and narrow in the middle and broader upon
the nose between the nostrils: without any, or marks
or brandmarks to distinguish her as the wife sister
of your first man went at Bay Road and taken
up for a stray, by William Maria Julia and
Josiah Cook Junior, Green Hay Line, Cimotie, John
Jacob, Snow and John Smith. The same day
and gave her at the above said night man was

Carried away by John Davis Junior to Okefenokee and the rest of
of a Journal of the winter, a star in the foreground a bar of the
top of the face and a small bar in the top two of the nose
and one mark of a small mark of a small mark of a small mark
marked two lines in the fore side of the nose and
a small mark and a small mark of a small mark of a small mark
of the 11th day of July 1671

The marks of the Cattle of Joseph Collins
~~is~~ is a slit in the top of the right ear and
a spore Cut out rounding on the back side of the
left ear entered this: 14th of January: 1681

The Marks of the Cattle of John Sparrow is a
Crop off the top of the right ear and two
halfe spore out of the left ear one out of the
fore side the ear and one out of the back side
of the ear entered this: 10th day of February

The marks of the Cattle of Joshua Hopkins 1681
is a halfe Crop on the near ear the fore side
of the ear and a Crop off the top of the far ear
and a slit down the middle of the Crop entered March
the first: 1681

The marks of the Cattle of Eliza Paine is a halfe Crop
on the hinder side of the top of the right ear entered January
the 15th 1682 the mark of the horse head of Eliza Paine is a
brand on the left buttock with a P. July: 26: 1701

The marks of the Cattle of George Goddard is a
Crop off the fore of the near ear and a slit in
the Crop and a slit in the top of the fore ear
entered this 8th of June

The mark of the Cattle of Rowland
~~is~~ is a slit in the top of the near ear
entered this 8th of June
1683

The Marks of the Cattle of James Madio is a halfe
Crop on the fore side the left ear and a halfe Crop
on the hinder side of the right ear and a halfe spore
Cut out of the fore side of the right ear entered this
19th of the month: 1683.

The Marks of the Cattle of Samuel Freeman
Junior is a halfe spore Cut out of the under side of
the near ear and a Mark on the ear side of the halfe
spore May the 2nd 1684.

The Marks of the Cattle of John Cole is a halfe Crop
on the back side of the top of the right ear and a slit
under the halfe Crop and a slit in the back side of
the left ear about the middle of the ear rounded
the: 22nd of June: 1684

December 17th
1648

C

X

- Rate for the officers wages
- for the magistrates, father & Commissioners Charges
- for the Drums wages
- for the Drum
- for John Bangor going to yarmouth
- for the Indians filling of Moulds
- for the freight of Corn to yarmouth

These Sums above mentioned are all discharged by the
Comptroller as appears at a town meeting October 27th 1650

- Rate for the grace 1.65 p.
- for the officers wages 2
- for the magistrates father 1
- for pikes 2
- for the books of the town orders 00

The Mark of the Cattle of William Bassman
is two half pence Cut out of the back side
of the right ear entered this 5th of April

The Mark of the Cattle of Benjamin
is a spade Cut off & flaying on the fore side
near ear and a slit in where the spade is
entered this 17th of April 1680

The Mark of the Cattle of Nathaniel May
a Crop Cut off the top of the left ear
slit down in the same ear where the
Crop cut off entered this 27th of April 1680

The Mark of the Cattle of Samuel
is two half pence Cut out of the back side
of the near ear entered this 20th of April
1681

The Mark of the Cattle of Samuel
is a half Crop on the fore side
top of the right ear and a slit in
top of the left ear entered this 20th of
April 1681

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c. 1600-1770

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